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In Memoriam.
(1914-1918).

McCORMACK—In ever-loving memory of John J. McCormack, Captain, 27th Northumberland Fusiliers (Tyneside Irish), who was killed at the Battle of Arras, April 28th, 1917, youngest son of John McCormack, Nenagh. R.I.P.

TRIMBLE—In proud and undying memory of my beloved son, Noel Desmond Trimble, killed at Halluch, April 29th, 1916, aged 20 years. "Dearest, thou art enshrined in all thy fragrance in our memories."—Mother.

BIRTHS.

ALLEN—April 13, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. S. Allen, The Pharmacy, Cloughjordan, a son.

BARNETT—April 23, 1923, at a Private Nursing Home, "Benmor," Dun Laoghaire, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barnett, Newcastle, Hazelhatch, a daughter.

CRAWFORD—At Borrisokane, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crawford, the gift of a daughter.

DEANE-ROE—April 22, 1923, at Mellifont Nursing Home, Kingstown, the wife of George Deane-Roe, Massey Ville, Tralee, of a son.

LINEHAN—April 24, 1923, at Private Nursing Home, 29 Upper Mount st., to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Linehan, 24 Grosvenor place, Rathgar, a daughter.

O'FARRELL—April 25, 1923, at 26 Upper Leeson st., Dublin, the wife of Thomas T. O'Farrell, F.R.C.S.I., of a daughter.

PAINE—April 19, 1923, the wife of Charles Paine (née Marie Nelson), 237 West George st., Glasgow, a son.

SOMERS—April 23, 1923, at 87 Lower Baggot st., the wife of Harold E. Somers, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

DRAPER and FitzGERALD—April 13, 1923, at St. Austin's, Stafford, by the Rev. Bernard Moore, Edward Carter, youngest son of the late Frederick Draper and Mrs. Draper, 87 Rathgar rd., to May FitzGerald, L.C.V., L.L.C.M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. FitzGerald, 47 Brighton rd.

EDWARDS and FARRELL-KENNEDY—April 25, 1923, at High Park Convent Church, by the Rev. J. R. O'Connell, C.C., Herbert Edwards, son of John O'Grady Edwards, Kingston-on-Thames, to Marie Helene Farrell, A.R.C.M., daughter of Mrs. J. J. Kennedy, 5 Home Farm rd., Dublin, and of the late John A. Farrell, Esq., Rathgar, and formerly of Naas, Co. Kildare. No cards.

HALL and McGARAHAN—April 11, 1923, at Drumcliffe Parish Church, by Rev. W. F. Nunan, M.A., Rector, assisted by Very Rev. Thomas Allen, M.A., Dean of Achonry, Robert, youngest son of the late Philip Hall, and of Mrs. Hall, Templehouse, Ballymote, to Rebecca Maude (Raby), only daughter of James and Mrs. McGarahan, Drumkilsella, Co. Sligo.

HEATHER and HOLLIS—April 26, 1923, at All Saints' Church, Freshwater, Isle of Wight, by the Rev. C. R. Hollis (cousin of the bride), assisted by the Rev. J. G. White, Major Dawson Dean Heather, of Knockadoo, Coolaney, Co. Sligo, eldest son of the late Very Rev. G. A. Heather, Dean of Achonry, and Mrs. Heather, Errislannan Manor, Clifden, Co. Galway, to Muriel Kathleen Langtry Hollis, only child of the late Alfred Hollis, M.D., Tower House, Freshwater, Isle of Wight.

LEYCESTER and WARE—April 25, 1923, at the Church of St. John the Baptist, Bishopsteignton, S. Devon, by the Rev. C. E. Howlett, Rector of Boinhurst, Lieutenant-Commander William Ralph Leycester, eldest son of Joseph William Leycester, D.L., of Ennismore, Cork, Ireland, and of The Moors, Bishopsteignton, to Audrey Dorothy, second daughter of the late George Ware, of Woodfort, Mallow, Co. Cork, Ireland, and niece of William Leader, D.L., of Dromagh, Banteer, Co. Cork, Ireland.

STRAHAN and GOOD—April 23, 1923, at St. Fin Barre's Cathedral, Cork, by the Very Rev. Dean Babington, M.A., James Walker Strahan, eldest son of George Strahan, LL.D., Wood Park, Dartry rd., Dublin, to Doris I. M. Good, only daughter of R. H. Good, M.Inst.C.E., Deanrock, Cork.

TOUT and HARRISON—April 18, 1923, at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, Dublin, by the Rev. H. G. Forde, M.A., Walter S. G., eldest son of Walter Charles Tout, Hastings, Sussex, to Marion Frances, youngest daughter of the late Thomas Harrison and Mrs. Harrison, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare.

WRIGHT and WHELAN—April 25, 1923, at St. Patrick's Church, Dalkey, by the Rev. Canon Hemphill, D.D., Rector of Drumbeg, and Chaplain to the Lord Primate, assisted by Rev. C. S. Collins, M.A., Rector of Dalkey, and the Rev. Sterling Bluett, Major Thomas James Wright, D.S.O., R.A.M.C., eldest son of W. M. A. Wright, M.D., "Elverton," Dalkey, to Alfreda Mary (Freda), only daughter of Arthur Alfred Whelan, "Gloucester Lodge," Jersey.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

BRABAZON—April 26, 1923, at 26 Burlington rd., Dublin, Isabella, last surviving daughter of the late Rev. John Vignoles Brabazon. Funeral private.

CASSIDAY—April 27, 1923, at his residence, 17 Hamilton rd., Bangor, Patrick Joseph Cassiday, late of H.M. Customs. R.I.P. Funeral private.

DOYLE—April 27, 1923, at his residence, Waterstown, Dunboyne, James Doyle. R.I.P. Funeral from Dunboyne Catholic Church to family burial ground to-morrow (Sunday), 3 o'clock (new time).

FLYNN—April 26, 1923, at his residence, Main st., Roscommon, Hugh Flynn, Merchant. Requiem Mass in the Sacred Heart Church at 10.30 (old time) this day (Saturday). Funeral same day, 5 p.m. (old time) to the New Cemetery. R.I.P.

GREY—April 27, 1923, at his residence, 3 Warren Point, Clontarf, John J. Grey, aged 86 years. Deeply mourned. Funeral will leave for Mount Jerome on Monday morning at 9 o'clock. No flowers, by special request.

GROVES—April 25, 1923, at her residence, 8 Cappy st., Belfast, Jane, widow of the late Edward Groves, formerly of Newport, Co. Mayo. Funeral to Newtownbreda, Belfast, to-day (Saturday), at 2 o'clock.

HOLLIDAY—April 26, 1923, at 7 Richmond tce., Limerick, Charlotte, the beloved sister of William Holliday, in her 65th year.

KIMMITT—April 26, 1923, at Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Joseph W. M., of Limerick, beloved husband of Minnie Kimmitt. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and daughter. Funeral to Belfast City Cemetery on arrival of Dublin morning train.

MALONE—April 26, 1923, at Baronstown, Westmeath, Captain Richard M. F. Malone, late Norfolk Regiment, son of Colonel J. R. Malone, D.L., age 26 years. Deeply mourned. Interment at Kilbixey Cemetery to-day (Saturday) at 12 o'clock (new time).

NICHOLL—April 26, 1923, at his residence, Ovoca Lodge, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, Thomas J. Nicholl, of 9 Great Brunswick st., the beloved husband of Margaret S. Nicholl. "For ever with the Lord." Funeral Monday morning, 10.30, to Dean's Grange.

O'HANLON—April 27, 1923, at Greenmount House, Terenure, Teresa O'Hanlon. Deeply regretted by her loving sisters, relatives, and friends. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

PARKER—April 24, 1923, at Main st., Cashel, Co. Tipperary, Mary Anne, widow of the late Thomas Parker, aged 84 years. "Peace, perfect peace."

SCOTT—April 26, 1923, at 22 Coulson av., Rathgar, Jane Holmes Scott, widow of the late William G. Scott. Funeral from above to-day (Saturday) at 9.30 a.m., for Mount Jerome.

SWEETMAN—April 26, 1923, at Ballymackasy, Co. Wexford, Fannie M., widow of Florence Sweetman. Funeral to-day (Saturday) from Ballymackasy at 10 o'clock (old time). Interment at Cloughbawn after High Mass, at 11 o'clock (old time).

IMPORTANT.—As announcements for this column, if posted on Saturday, cannot reach this office in time for Monday's paper, they should be sent by telegram.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. W. H. Reynett and Miss Rattray desire to return sincere thanks to all kind friends who sent letters, telegrams, and messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment.—W. H. Reynett, Portersize House, Ballytore, Co. Kildare.

Mrs. Ferguson Kelly and family, "Tally Ho," Clontarf, desire to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

HENRY HAMILTON WOODS CARDEN, Deceased, late of "Cahara," Greystones, County Wicklow.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Hamilton Woods Carden, late of "Cahara," Greystones, in the County of Wicklow, by his Will dated the 26th day of September, 1922, bequeathed to the Royal National Hospital for Consumption for Ireland, situate near Newcastle, in the County of Wicklow, the sum of £100; to the Adelaide Hospital, in Peter street, Dublin, the sum of £100; to the Irish Branch Railway Benevolent Institution, 5 Kildare street, Dublin, the sum of £50; to the Irish Church Representative Body the sum of £100 for the Parishes of Kiltelmona and Barnane, in the Diocese of Cashel, and the sum of £100 for the benefit of the Parish in Ireland in which Testator was resident at the time of his death.

And the said Testator appointed his wife, Annie Susan Maria Carden, of "Cahara," Greystones, in the said County of Wicklow, and Edward George Woods, of Milverton Hall, Skerries, Co. Dublin, to be the Executors of his said Will. The said Testator, Henry Hamilton Woods Carden, died on the 22nd day of December, 1922, and his said Will was proved by the said Executors, and Probate thereof granted to him forth of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, Probate and Matrimonial Division, the Principal Registry, on the 12th day of March, 1923.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1923.
MONTGOMERY and CHAYTOR, Solicitors for said Executors, 13 Molesworth street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

HENRY HAMILTON WOODS CARDEN, late of "Cahara," Greystones, County Wicklow, Esquire, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., chap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate of the above-named Henry Hamilton Woods Carden, who died on the 22nd day of December, 1922, are hereby required, on or before the 25th day of May, 1923, to furnish particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the said Deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 12th day of March, 1923.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 25th day of May, 1923, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased, having regard only to the claims or demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1923.
MONTGOMERY and CHAYTOR, Solicitors for Executors, 13 Molesworth street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

EMILY WARREN, late of Curraghmore House, Kilcormac, in the King's County, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Emily Warren, who died on the 25th day of November, 1922, are hereby required on or before the 21st day of May, 1923, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of her said Will was granted forth of the District Registry at Mullingar of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), on the 26th day of March, 1923.

And Notice is also given that after the said 21st day of May, 1923, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as required above.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1923.
A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors for the Executors, Tullamore, and 24 Dame street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF

ELLEN FLYNN, late of Sydenham, Tramore, in the County of Waterford, Spinster, Deceased.

Persons having claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 10th day of February, 1923, are hereby required to furnish to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administrator, Mr. Richard Flynn, the particulars of such claims (in writing), on or before the 5th day of May, 1923.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1923.
GEORGE A. NOLAN, Solicitor for the said Administrator, 83 Quay, Waterford.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Matter of

ANNE REDINGTON, late of Kilcornan, in the County of Galway, Spinster, Deceased.

Take Notice that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be Creditors, or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the Assets of the said Anne Redington, Deceased, who died on the 14th day of January, 1923, are hereby required, on or before the 31st day of May, 1923, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor of the Deceased, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased has been granted, and in default thereof the said Executor will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Testatrix, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1923.
Wm. ROCHE and SONS, Solicitors for the said Executor, 20 Stephen's Green, N., Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

THOMAS MITCHELL, late of Ulster Bank House, Tullamore, King's County, Bank Manager, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Thomas Mitchell, who died on the 3rd day of July, 1922, are hereby required on or before the 21st day of May, 1923, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator, to whom Letters of Administration of his personal estate and effects were granted forth of the District Registry at Mullingar of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), on the 14th day of April, 1923.

And Notice is also given that after the said 21st day of May, 1923, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as required above.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1923.
A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, Tullamore, and 24 Dame street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

JANE ELIZABETH WARREN, late of Curraghmore House, Kilcormac, in the King's County, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Jane Elizabeth Warren, who died on the 13th day of February, 1923, are hereby required on or before the 21st day of May, 1923, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of her said Will was granted forth of the District Registry at Mullingar of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), on the 20th day of April, 1923.

And Notice is also given that after the said 21st day of May, 1923, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as requested above.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1923.
A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors for the Executors, Tullamore, and 24 Dame street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of

WALTER PERRIN, late of Cloneygoose, Borris, in the County of Carlow, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 30th day of July, 1922, are hereby required on or before the 1st day of June, 1923, to furnish (in writing) full particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased was granted forth of the District Registry, at Kilkenny, on the 18th day of April, 1923.

And notice is hereby further given that after the 1st day of June, 1923, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as hereby required.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1923.
MALCOMSON and LAW, Solicitors for the said Executors, 60 Dawson street, Dublin; and Carlow.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

CECIL ALFRED GRAVES, late of 6 Grosvenor square, Rathmines, County Dublin, Clerk in the Custom House Docks, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, are required to furnish particulars of same on or before the 1st day of June, 1923, to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor, to whom Probate of the Will and Codicil of the Deceased was granted by the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 24th day of April, 1923. After the said 1st day of June, 1923, the said Executor will distribute the assets of the Testator, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
H. J. McCORMICK, Solicitor for said Executor, 37 Molesworth street, Dublin.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of

WILLIAM BREAKEY, late of Trimgate street, Navan, in the County of Meath, Merchant, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute, 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the said William Breakey, who died on or about the 27th day of January, 1923, by his will dated 9th November, 1920, bequeathed £100 to the Minister for the time being and the Session of Second Ballybay Presbyterian Church to be invested in the names of trustees to be appointed by them, and the income thereof to be paid to the Minister for the time being of said Church to supplement his stipend on the condition that he personally sees that the headstone and railings and plot known as the Breakey Family Burying Ground is kept in good order and repair, and the receipt of the Clerk of Sessions for said legacy shall be a good discharge therefor. And Notice is hereby further given that Probate of the said will was on the 20th day of March, 1923, granted forth of the Principal Registry, Probate, High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, to Robert Breakey, of Lisdrum House, Newry, County Armagh, Works Manager, and William T. Darker, of Athlumney, Navan, County Meath, Works Manager, the executors therein named.

Dated this 26th April, 1923.
JOHN CLARK and CO., Solicitors for said Executors, 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin, and Navan.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and all others whom it may concern.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
ADVERTISEMENT FOR INCUMBRANCES.

Pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the Action, **THE REV. EDWARD (CANON) IRWIN,** Plaintiff, and **HENRY HARTE,** Defendant, all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the estate and interest of the Defendant in the premises now known as Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8a, and 13 Fleming's place, and No. 81 Mespil road, all situate in the Parish of Saint Peter and County of Dublin, are to send (if by post, prepaid) the particulars of their incumbrances on or before the 16th day of May, 1923, to Mr. D. D. Vaughan, Solicitor for the Plaintiff, 11 Hume street, Dublin, and are, on or before said date, to file each an Affidavit in proof of his claim, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every such Incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same before the Master at the Rolls at his Chambers, Dublin, on the 30th day of May, 1923, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1923.
JOHN HEALY, Chief Clerk.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

Pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in a cause "**FAGAN v. GERAGHTY**" (1922, No. 451). All persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the lands entered upon Folio 1304 of the Register for the County of Meath—that is to say part of the lands of Piercetown, containing 170 acres 2 roods and 6 perches or thereabouts, Statute Measure, situate in the Barony of Dunboyne and County of Meath, are by their Solicitors to enter and prove their claims at the Chambers of the Right Honourable Mr. Justice Powell, Room No. 81, Law Courts, Dublin, on or before the 1st day of June, 1923, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same before the Right Honourable Mr. Justice Powell at his said Chambers on the 6th day of June, 1923, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for the adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
P. J. MULLIGAN, Solicitor for Plaintiff, 58 Rutland square, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

Pursuant to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in an Action, "**HARDMAN v. THE SHAMROCK CYCLE SYNDICATE, LTD.**" (1922, No. 97), all persons other than the Plaintiffs, Joseph Henry Garratt and Hunt Walsh Hardman, claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the property, comprised in, or charged by, the Indenture dated 15th March, 1898, made between the Defendant Company of the one part, and the Plaintiffs, William Beaufort Hardman and William Barrett, of the other part, are, by their Solicitors, to enter and prove their claims at the Chambers of the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Powell, the Law Courts, Dublin, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1923, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment.

Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Powell, at his Chambers, Law Courts, Dublin, on the 14th day of June, 1923, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
W. S. BARRETT, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, 15 South Frederick street, Dublin.

1917. No. 750.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, SAORSTAT EIREANN.
CHANCERY DIVISION—Mr. JUSTICE POWELL.
Between
ANDREW S. HUNTER and ROBERT PATTON, Plaintiffs;
And
REVEREND WILLIAM D. WALLACE, LIZZIE STARRETT, ALICE STARRETT, JOHN PATTON, and JEANNIE PATTON, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the funds standing in Court to the credit of the above-mentioned Action are about to be finally allocated.

Any person who has obtained a Stop Order or Charging Order affecting the said funds, or any part thereof, is required forthwith to lodge such Order with the Chief Clerk, Mr. Justice Powell's Chambers, Room 46, Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
JOHN WRAY, Solicitor for Plaintiffs, 24 Lower Ormond quay, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF

EDWARD McKINLEY, late of Meenaborry, Buncrana, in the County of Donegal, Farmer, Deceased.

Take Notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof we will apply to the proper officer of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), for a Grant of Administration of the personal estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 13th day of November, 1909, unless a Caveat has been duly entered, thereto within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this the 27th day of April, 1923.
COLQUHOUN and KING, Solicitors for the Administrator, 25 Clare street, Dublin, and Londonderry.

To the Next-of-Kin and all concerned.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, SAORSTAT EIREANN.
KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of

CON CREGAN, of Market square, Newcastle West, in the County of Limerick, General Draper, was on the 10th day of April, 1923, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held before the Court, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1923, and on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1923, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the first sitting choose a creditor's assignee. At the last sitting the bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons having in their possession any property of the bankrupt should deliver it, and all debts due to the bankrupt should be paid, to A. G. Hollinshead, Official Assignee, Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, to whom creditors may forward their affidavits of debt.

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IN THE GOODS OF

THEOPHILUS EARL, late of Clonrow (Tinahely), in the County of Wexford, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or demands upon the personal estate of the said Theophilus Earl, who died on the 21st day of February, 1923, are hereby required on or before the 1st day of June, 1923, next, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for Mrs. Eleanor Margaret Earl, of Clonrow, Tinahely aforesaid, the widow of said Deceased, to whom Letters of Administration were granted on the 16th day of April, 1923, forth of the Waterford District Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate), of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann. And Notice is hereby given that after the said 1st day of June next, the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
M. J. O'CONNOR and CO., Solicitors for said Administratrix, 29 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin, and Gorey.

IN THE GOODS OF

THOMAS PATRICK HEALY, late of Edmondstown, Rathfarnham, in the County of Dublin, Clerk, Deceased.

Take notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, I shall apply to the proper officer of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann for a grant of administration of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 12th day of March, 1919, on behalf of Bridget M. Dowling, of Allenwood, Naas, in the County of Kildare, married woman, the lawful sister of Deceased, unless a caveat has been duly entered within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1923.
WILLIAM A. LANPHIER, Solicitor for said Applicant, 55 Dawson street, Dublin; and Naas, Co. Kildare.

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1 Ed. VII., cap. 38; 62 agus 63 Vic., cap. 50; 52 agus 55 Vic., cap. 74; 32 agus 33 Vic., cap. 92; 5 agus 6 Vic., cap. 106; agus aon Achtanna ata inchorpalta leo san.

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COMORFAR FIOSRUCHAIN PHUIBLI LE hORDU AN AIRE UM IASGACH
I HALLA "ARCADIA," BRI CHUALANN,
DEARDAOIN, an 10adh lá de BHEALTAINE, 1923, ar a 11.30 a chlog, a.m.
AGUS I
SCOILEANNA TEICNICEACHA PEMBROKE, RINN MHUIRBHTHEAN,
Dé MAIRT, an 15adh lá de BHEALTAINE, 1923, ar a 11.30 a chlog a.m.,

I dTaobh an gá atá le tuille teoranta do chur le Tráileireacht no le fo-dhlithe nua do dhennamh i gcoir cosanta agus feabhasuithe an Iasgach idir Bheann Eadair agus Rinn Chill Mhantain.

L. C. O MUIRCHEARTUIGH, Rúnaí.
Dátuithe in Aireacht um Iasgach, Baile Atha Cliath, an 23adh lá d'Abrán, 1923.

1 Ed. VII., cap. 38; 62 and 63 Vic., cap. 50; 52 and 55 Vic., cap. 74; 32 and 33 Vic., cap. 92; 5 and 6 Vic., cap. 106; and any Acts incorporated therewith.

NOTICE.

BY DIRECTION OF THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES PUBLIC INQUIRIES WILL BE HELD
IN THE HALL OF "ARCADIA," BRAY,
On THURSDAY, the 10th day of MAY, 1923, At the hour of 11.30 o'clock a.m.,
AND AT THE PEMBROKE TECHNICAL SCHOOLS, RINGSEND,
On TUESDAY, the 15th day of MAY, 1923, At the hour of 11 o'clock a.m.,

Into the question of the necessity for imposing further restrictions on Trawling or making new By-Laws for the protection and improvement of the Fisheries between Howth Head and Wicklow Head.

L. C. MORIARTY, Secretary.
Dated at the Ministry of Fisheries, Dublin, 23rd day of April, 1923. K.A.A.

LEGAL NOTICES.

1923—No. 197.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE SAORSTAT EIREANN.
CHANCERY DIVISION—MASTER OF THE ROLLS.
COMPANIES WINDING UP.
In the Matter of
THE COMPANIES (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1908,
And in the Matter of
THE IRISH BOOT MANUFACTURING CO. AND JOHN MALONE, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Master of the Rolls has fixed the 10th day of May, 1923, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at his Chambers, Law Courts, Dublin, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.

JOHN HEALY, Chief Clerk.
WM. SMYTH and SON, Solicitors for Petitioner, 29 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF

MICHAEL JOHN LAWLOR, late of 4 Eagle terrace, Dundrum, Co. Dublin, Commercial Traveller, Deceased.

Take Notice that, on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, application will be made to the proper Officer of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann (Probate) for a Grant of Administration of the Personal Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 21st December, 1902, unless a Caveat thereto has been entered within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
STRITCH and STRITCH, Solicitors for Applicant, 4 Eustace street, Dublin.

NOTICE.

Compensation (Personal Injuries) Committee

Injuries to the Person Sustained Subsequent to January 21st, 1919.

This Committee is now prepared to receive and consider applications for compensation presented by any person who has suffered loss by reason of having been injured in his or her person, or by the dependants of any person who has died in consequence of having been so injured in any of the following cases occurring since January 21st, 1919, namely:—

(1) Where the injury was one to which the Criminal Injuries Acts would have been applied by the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Act, 1919, as amended by the Criminal Injuries (Ireland) Act, 1920, had these Acts remained in force.

(2) Where the injured person was, or was likely to be, excluded from the benefit of the Criminal Injuries Acts (as so applied) by reason only of the injury having been inflicted by members of the British military or police forces.

(3) Where the injury was sustained without default on the part of a person being a non-combatant in the course of belligerent action between the British forces and the Irish National forces, or in the course of operations by the National Forces against persons engaged in armed rebellion against the Government of Saorstat Eireann, whether before or after the passing of the Constitution.

Forms of application setting out the particulars which will be required in the first instance by the Committee may be obtained from the Secretary, at No. 125 Lower Baggot street, Dublin.

Applications must be made immediately. The latest date on which applications can be received will be announced later.

(Signed), D. P. SHANAGHER, Secretary.
The Compensation (Personal Injuries) Committee, No. 125 Lower Baggot street, Dublin.
25th April, 1923. K.A.A.

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CONTRACTS.

CARLOW URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

The Carlow Urban District Council will, at their meeting to be held on Tuesday, 1st May, 1923, at 7 o'clock p.m., receive and consider tenders for the erection of Two Two-Storeyed Houses in Graigue-Cullen, in accordance with plans and specifications, which may be seen at this office.

Tenders endorsed "Tender for Houses," and addressed to the presiding Chairman, to be deposited at this office not later than 6 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 1st May, 1923.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The contractor carrying out the work will be required to enter into a satisfactory bond for the due fulfilment of his contract.

WILLIAM A. LAWLOR, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Carlow, 28th March, 1923.

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	No. of Form.		No. of Form.
Barrows and Trucks	2	Locks, Rainwater Goods and Hardware	26
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Brushes, Brooms, &c.	4	Paints, Colours and Wallpaper	27
Brass Fittings for Gas and Water	5	Ropes and Canvas	28
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Chain	8	Steel Tyres, Axles and Plates	33
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Candles and Soap	10	Steel and Copper Tubes, Copper Plates and Ingots	34
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Do. Trimmings	12	Steel Castings	35
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Contractors cannot be allowed to tender to supply goods to their own patterns, nor can the Company's patterns be sent away for inspection.

The Directors will not consider any Tender unless furnished on the Company's forms; nor any Tender in which any alteration of the form has been made.

The Tenders to be sent in by post, sealed and endorsed on the envelope, "Tender for Stores, Form No. ," and addressed to "The Chairman, Broadstone Station, Dublin," so as to reach him on or before 10 a.m. on the 21st May.

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,
PERCY J. HAY, Secretary.
Broadstone Station, Dublin, April, 1923.

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Tenders to be delivered to the undersigned not later than 2 p.m. on Wednesday, 23rd May, 1923.

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W. M. NOLAN, Town Clerk, Town Hall, Limerick.
25/4/23.

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FOUND, a Watch, in the city.—553, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

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1923 WOLSELEY Car, 14 h.p., duty free, £525. Seen Ranelagh Motor Engineering Co. 24 T

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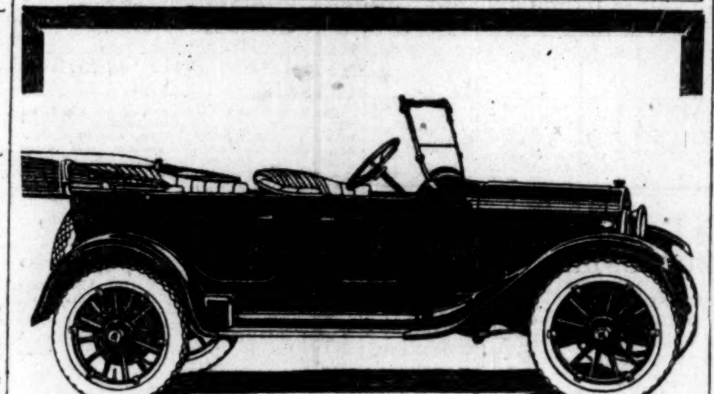

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HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted at once, thoroughly capable, well educated Lady (I.C.) to take charge of widower's household (large family) in Southern town; must be accustomed to and able to get on with young people and servants; good salary, comfortable home. Address, stating experience, appearance, and temperament, "Z 798, Housekeeper," this office. 22 F

HOUSEKEEPER Wanted to take charge; servant kept; business gentleman; must be refined and capable; state references, age, and salary expected. Apply by letter to Cook, 9 Marine terrace, Kingstown. 20 F

HOSIERY and Dresses—Wanted, experienced young Lady; must be good saleswoman, stockkeeper, and window dresser; state lowest salary (indoor), experience, copy references.—Acheson and Co., Edenderry.

HOSIERY, Underclothing, Millinery—Wanted, Saleswoman for each of above Departments; Protestants; Dublin district; state experience, salary; indoor. N 1077, this office. 27 O

JUNIOR Shorthand Typist Wanted; state age and salary expected.—N 1109, this office.

LAUNDRY—Wanted, experienced Callender Feeders for City Laundry. Apply N 695, this office. 24 F

LADY required (Protestant) as Mother's Help; assist light duties and care boy nearly four; maid kept. Call, 1 to 2 or after 5, 22 Zion road, Rathgar.

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MECHANICAL Engineer Wanted to take charge small jobbing shop; must be good draughtsman, and well educated.—N 849, this office. 25 A

MATHIESON, 16 Dawson street, require young Ladies, Assistants for Warerooms. Apply by letter. 27 F

MESSENGER Boy (16) Wanted immediately.—The Pharmacy, 70 Lower Mount st.

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MAN with backbone and £40 cash available immediately, can earn good profit; for suitable party permanent Agency might be arranged.—N 305, this office.

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ORGANIST Wanted, Booterstown Church. Apply Hon. Sec. Organist Committee, Booterstown Church, Cross avenue, Blackrock. 27 A

PHOTOGRAPHY—Operator-Printer or Operator-Retoucher Wanted immediately; Dublin.—N 1014, this office. 27 O

REPORTER Wanted; must have all round experience; verbatim shorthand and good descriptive writer. Apply, by letter, enclosing copies of testimonials and salary expected, to Editor, "Belfast News-Letter." 26 F

SMART Girl Wanted for Grocery, Provisions; state experience, salary required, which would be progressive.—N 1026, this office.

SHOP Superintendent—Lady required, preferably with experience of "Fancies," to superintend service of customers in Grafton street house; must have good appearance and address; state experience fully and salary.—N 1112, this office. 27 O

TYPEWRITING—Respectable Girl leaving school Wanted as Apprentice.—N 1031, this office.

TYPEWRITING—Vacancy for well educated Girl Pupil, in Copying Office; Shorthand, Bookkeeping Taught; moderate fee.—N 1093, this office. 27 O

TAILORING—Wanted, capable Machinist, accustomed to divisional labour. Address, with references, stating experience and wages expected, "Z 1009, Machinist," this office.

WANTED, smart, pushing Saleswoman, Dress Department; good references required; Irish Church—Lucas, Roscrea. 23 F

WANTED, Youth for Office and Outdoor Work; state age, salary, experience.—N 707, this office. 24 F

WANTED by Rose Bower Dairy Company, Cashel, an experienced Boiler and Engine Man; must be capable of doing running repairs to creamery machinery. Apply, stating wages required for usual creamery hours. 24 F

SITUATIONS CONTINUED

WANTED, smart Lad for Electrical House for counter and stores; one with knowledge of wireless preferred.—N 691, this office. 24 F

WANTED, Clerk, with experience in Drapery Trade. Apply, with copies testimonials, to N 796, this office. 25 A

WANTED, Lady Clerk for leading City Victualler's Establishment.—N 779, this office. 24 F

WANTED, immediately, a young man for General Drapery, with knowledge of boots and readymades. Apply, with references, and stating salary expected (indoor).—J. Kennedy, Draper, Athlone. 26 B

WANTED, a pushing Salesman for Gent.'s Outfitting, Boots, and Readymades; Protestant. Apply, with copies of reference and salary expected (indoor)—N 943, this office. 26 B

WIRELESS Mechanics, experienced. Apply, giving copies of references, experience, etc., N 949, this office. 26 B

WANTED, strong, capable youth, to work in Wine Merchant's Cellar; give age, references, etc.—N 881, this office. 26 B

WANTED, Bookkeeper; cash security required £150; salary £4 weekly.—N 955, this office. 26 B

WANTED, a Steward to take complete charge of Club in Southern town; single man preferred, or married man without family; state wages and send copies of references. Address "Z 947, Man," this office. 26 A

WANTED, Gentlewoman, Protestant, country place, near Dublin; cooking, housework; good help given; salary £30.—N 985, this office. 26 B

WANTED, Clerk Salesman by large timber and general merchants; knowledge of bookkeeping essential; must be experienced. Apply, with copies references, stating salary (outdoor), "Z 966, Clerk," this office. 26 B

WANTED, energetic young man for Despatch Work; must be a quick and neat writer; one residing South side of city preferred; state salary expected. Address "Z 968, Man," this office. 26 A

WANTED, smart young Man as Bookkeeper; must understand the posting of books and furnishing of accounts and write a neat hand; must reside South side of city; state salary expected. Address "Z 967, Bookkeeper," this office. 26 A

WANTED immediately, Lady Typist (experienced in bookkeeping and shorthand) for large city office. Apply, with copies of references, N 1071, this office. 27 A

WANTED for a Railway Office in the city, a smart Boy, about 15 years of age; preference will be given to one having knowledge of shorthand and typewriting.—N 1111, this office.

WANTED, Girl, to Make up Orders, Fill and Weigh Flour, Meal, etc.—N 1104, this office. 27 O

WANTED, Lady, young, Protestant, accustomed to and fond of children, good needlewoman, to help with two children of 7 and 5 years and baby 3 months. Apply by letter to 1 Sydenham road, Dundrum.

WANTED, Typist, for Commission Agency; give references and salary.—N 1165, this office.

WANTED, Mannequins. Apply at once, "Veronica," 31 Upper Baggot st. 27 A

WANTED, Useful Help (I.C.); light work; copies references.—W., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

YOUNG TOOL DESIGNER Required for Works Manager's Office in small Dublin Factory; experience of practical work and knowledge of preparing estimates necessary. Furnish qualifications, age, salary expected, etc., to Box F 2340, Kenny's Advertising Agency, Dublin.

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LOANS—The Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., Ltd., 57 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, grant Loans. Apply the Manager. 26 18

MANUFACTURER, with well equipped modern factory, doing good trade, desires Partner with capital to extend already flourishing, sound concern.—N 995, this office. 26 B

PARTNER (Working), with £500 to £700 capital, required for extension of existing Poultry Farm near Dublin; references given and required. Address "Z 766, Partner," this office. 8 20

VACANCY for Secretary, lady or gentleman; must invest £500.—N 948, this office. 26 B

WANTED, Gentlemen to invest £500 in central Garage; guaranteed 10 per cent. return.—N 642, this office. 23 F

WANTED, Loan £100; will repay £120, in three quarters; every explanation.—N 934, this office. 25 F

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS. OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

POSITIONS VACANT.

EXPERIENCED Cook required. Apply, with references, Prince of Wales Hotel, Athlone. 25 A

EXPERIENCED Waitress required; good references.—Hotel Russell. 26 F

HOTEL EMPLOYEES CONTINUED.

EXPERIENCED Linenkeeper required immediately; send copies, and state salary.—Grand Hotel, Greystones. 27 C

THE Standard Hotel, Dublin, require an experienced Waitress. 26 A

WAITRESS Wanted.—Hotel Allen, Harcourt street.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

AUSTRIAN Chambermaid (20), good London references, wants situation, Dublin hotel or good private.—N 1035, this office.

HOTEL—Young Lady, thoroughly experienced books, bar, etc., desires vacancy. Address "Z 869, Lady," this office. 24 F

HOTEL Housekeeper or Linenkeeper, city or country; long papers.—N 301, this office. 27 C

LADY seeks position Manageress Restaurant, or Housekeeper institution or business house; excellent references; city preferred.—N 805, this office. A

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENTS Wanted on 10 per cent. commission basis in every town and village in Ireland by well known Firm of City Turf Accountants, to collect and forward us commissions.—N 157, this office. 12 19

AGENT required for Sale of Corks; connection amongst bottlers necessary. Address "Z 856, Agent," this office. 24 F

A FIRST class, old established House, manufacturing a Flour Improver and Cream of Tartar Substitute, is open to appoint a Representative, on a commission basis, for Ireland, where the company's products are well known; knowledge of the Milling, Self Raising Flour Trade and connection essential; applicants, who must be capable and energetic, are requested to give full particulars as to previous experience, etc.—N 907, this office. 26 B

A WORLD renowned West End Firm having a large connection in Ireland require the services of capable Ladies to represent them in Dublin, either for part time or whole time at own convenience; generous commission. A genuine opportunity for a permanent and rapidly increasing business under own control. References and small deposit required (returnable). Well connected, energetic, and business-like persons can easily secure from £3 to £5 per week commission. Applicants should write first to "Z 977, Representatives," this office.

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WANTED, Representative calling on Pram Dealers, Furnishers, etc., to represent the "Toto" Collapsible Baby High Chair, on commission basis. This is an exceptional proposition for live man. Write, stating present agencies and ground covered, to "Toto" Chair Co., 16 New street, Leicester. 26 F

WANTED, an established Agent in Free State, to work well known Proprietary Article, selling to Grocers and Ironmongers; one who can offer a good line for Northern Ireland preferred, on a mutual arrangement.—Box No. 969, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 27 A

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

YOUNG Man, energetic, capable, strict T.T., open to take up Agency, or would act as Traveller. Address "Z 991, Man," this office.

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

LAW Clerk (Male), experienced ordinary office routine, expert typist, wishes change.—N 986, this office. 26 D

REQUIRED, capable Managing Clerk, thoroughly conversant all work, solicitor's office, provincial town, North. Send full particulars to "Z 874, Clerk," this office. 24 A

SOLICITORS Require well educated Typist, Protestant; state experience and salary expected.—N 941, this office. 26 F

SOLICITOR Wanted join another as Assistant or Partner, Dublin.—N 1138, this office. 27 A

TYPIST Wanted for Solicitor's Office in Dublin; rapid shorthand and typing essential; preference to one with previous experience.—N 727, this office. 24 F

TYPIST, with own machine, requires Evening Work; considerable experience.—N 968, this office. 26 B

WANTED, first class Bookkeeper, accustomed drawing costs; also capable Shorthand Typist; able engross. Send copies testimonials, stating salary expected, to "Z 875, Bookkeeper," this office. 24 A

WANTED by Firm of Dublin Solicitors, Managing Clerk; must have thorough knowledge of Conveyancing, High Court and Land Commission practice. Reply, with copy testimonials, salary expected, N 1049, this office.

WANTED, Law Clerk, general knowledge, country practice, Tralee; state age, salary, experience, and references. Address "Z 1007, Lex," this office. 27 C

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

DOWNPATRICK UNION.
MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED.

The Commissioner in charge of the above Union will, at a sitting to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th MAY, consider applications for the position of Medical Officer for the Strangford Dispensary District, at a salary commencing £250 per year, rising by annual increments of £10 to a maximum salary of £300 a year.

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The Medical Officer appointed must possess the qualifications required by the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, and subscribe the Declaration of Allegiance, the appointment being subject to their approval.

Applications, with diplomas and testimonials, will be received by me up to 10 a.m. on above date.

By Order,
R. J. CARR,
Clerk of Union and District Council.
Clerk's Office, Union Workhouse,
Downpatrick, 26th April, 1923.

APPRENTICE Wanted by Pharmaceutical Chemist, city; personal instruction by experienced Teacher. Apply, in own handwriting, stating age and where educated. N 1020, this office.

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NURSE Attendant Wanted, Protestant, for Invalid Lady; not required day time; can sleep at night; state salary.—N 961, this office. 26 F

NURSE Attendant or Useful Help (Protestant) Wanted, country place. Address "Z 925, Nurse," this office.

NURSE Attendant, experienced; good testimonials; Protestant; city or suburbs.—N 284, this office.

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist—Manager required at once; salary and percentage.—Finegan's, 120 Royal avenue, Belfast.

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WANTED, superior, respectable Woman, 35-40, to assist in Mental Home; former experience not necessary if active and intelligent; salary £20, all found.—Mrs. Osburne, Lindville, Cork. 27 O

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GOVERNESS, R.C., disengaged, Daily or Resident; music, French (also fluently); needlewoman.—4 Belvedere place.

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SHORTHAND, Typewriting Taught half usual time, private tuition.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 15

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WILL a Lady kindly recommend a nice, agreeable, bright Nursery Governess for one child, 6 years of age (country town), R.C.? Address, with all particulars, "Z 867, Governess," this office. 24 F

YOUNG Protestant Gentlewoman Required as Governess; country; good salary. Address "Z 95., Governess," this office. 27 O

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Snow White Twilled Sheets—Full Single Bed Size. Sale Price, each **2/11**

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Frilled and Embroidered Pillow Cases—1,000 of these Beautiful Pillow Cases. Were 2/6 each. Reduced now to, each **1/-**

Sale of White Calico—Strong Pure Quality White Calico, Satin Finish, 28 ins. wide. Was 1/4 yard. Sale Price, per yard **6d.**

Sale of Dainty Casement Cloths for Ladies' or Children's Dresses, in Saxe, Cream, Rose, Helio, Butcher, and Pink. Were 1/3. Sale, per yard **7½d.**

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Superior Quality Twill Blay Sheets. Full Double-Bed Size. Worth 5/11 each. Clearing now at, each **3/11**

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500 Strong Unbleached Kitchen Table Cloths. Were 2/11. Offered now at, each **1/6**

600 Damask Table Cloths, about 1¼ yards square. Were 5/11. Sale Price now, each **1/11**

Snow-White Damask Table Cloths, fully 2 yards square. Were 15/6. Sale, each **9/6**

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Beautiful Damask Supper Cloths, White, with Dainty Red Border; were 3/11 each. Sale Price, each **1/11**

Beautiful White Damask Cloths, Snow White, nearly 2 yards square. Were 25/-. Sale Price now, each **6/11**

Large Size Huckaback Towels. Big Bargain Purchase. Sale, each **1/-**

Swiss Embroidery Toilet Covers, with dainty small mats inset. Were 2/3. Sale Price now per set **11½d.**

Navy Blue Drill—Splendid Serviceable Material for Overalls or Children's Dresses. Was 2/3. Sale, per yard **1/3**

Red or Green Damask, for Curtains or Upholstery; also in Gold; 30 inches wide. Worth 2/6 yd. Sale Price, per yard **1/-** Also in Double Width. Was 5/11. Sale, per yard **2/11**

Ladies' Dainty Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Sale price, each **1½d.**

Sale of Flannelette—Soft White Flannelette. Was 2/- yard. Sale Price, per yard **6½d.**

Government Towels.—A Great Bargain, 36 inches long. Strong Huckaback Towels. Were 1/11. Sale Price **10½d.**

Strong Floor Scrub Cloths. Sale Price, each **2½d.**

Strong Crash Roller Towels—Made up ready for use. Were 2/11. Sale Price **1/6**

White Huckaback Face Towels. Worth 3/6. Bargain Price now, each **1/6**

A Big Lot of Flannelette, good qualities, all nice stripes, for Shirts or Underclothing. Were 2/6 yard. Sale Price **8½d.**

Beautiful Cream Casement for Side Curtains, 38 inches wide. Hemstitched and Lace Insertion at each side. Sale, per yard **1/6**

Large White Turkish Towels—A Marvellous Bargain Lot of Large Turkish Towels. Made for the Navy. Pure White. Never sold less than 3/11. Sale Price, each **1/6**

Dainty Bargain Otanto Panama Hats for Ladies—Beautiful White fine make, can be folded up to carry in suit case. Sale Price. **2/11**

Ladies' New Folding Felt Hats, Lemon, Brick, Navy, Nigger, Champagne. Were 5/11. Sale Price, each **2/11**

Tapestry Table Covers—Fully 2 yards square, in Dark Red or in Green; were 11/6. Sale Price now, each **5/11**

Indian Hand-Blocked Table Covers, white, with dainty coloured Indian designs printed; 1 yard square. Were 4/6. Sale Price, each **1/-**

Government Linen—50 Rolls, to be cleared at, per yard (single width) **1/4**

Government Linen, wide width. Was 4/9. Reduced now to per yard **1/11**

Silky-finished Parachute Cloth, in natural shantung colour, 42 inches wide; suitable for ladies' or children's dresses. Was 4/6 yard. Sale Price now, per yard **2/6**

Check Zephyr Cloths—300 Pieces, in Blue, Brown, Pink, Dark Blue, and Helio; were 11½d. yard. Sale Price, per yard **6½d.**

Table Covers—Great Bargains in Rich Plushette, with deep-knotted Fringe, 2 yards square. Green or Crimson. Were 39/6. Sale Price, each **19/6**

Taffeta Silk. — 300 Pieces; Sky, Wine, Brick, Champagne, Violet. To be Sold at, per yard **1/3**

Sponge Cloth—Great Bargain—Double Width, in Lemon, Hello, Saxe, White, Champagne, and Biscuit. Worth 2/11 yard. **1/6**

Natural Shantung Silk, 34 inches wide. Was 4/11. Sale now, per yard **2/11**

Wide Lace Curtain Net, — Rich White Curtain Net, Beautiful Lace. Rich Floral Designs, 50 inches wide. Was 3/3 yard. Sale Price, yard **1/3**

Trellis Madras Muslin for Curtains. 40 inches wide. Cream Colours. Was 1/11. Sale Price, now, per yard **6d.**

Decoration Art Muslins, in Green, White, Yellow, Hello, Pink and Violet. Were 9½d. yard. Sale Price, per yard **4½d.**

Patchwork Quilts—450 Neat Patchwork Quilts. In Large Double Bed Size. Sale Price, each **2/11**

Apron Check—Double Width. Sale Price, now, per yard **1/-**

Army Flannel Shirting—Splendid Army Flannel Shirting. To be sold now at Sale Price of, per yard **1/-**

Waterproof Bed Sheets—Great Bargain in good-sized Waterproof Sheets. Worth 8/11. Bargain Price, each **4/11**

Cradle Waterproof Sheets—1,000 to be Sold in the Sale at, each **2/11**

Cradle Blankets—Startling Offer—Over 1,000 Best All-Wool Cradle Blankets, ribbon bound, best quality made. Were 6/- each. Sale, each **1/11**

Cradle Underblankets—1,000 Soft Cradle Underblankets, with Blue Borders. Sale **10½d.**

Honeycomb Quilts—A Large Lot of White Honeycomb Quilts, Largest Double Bed Size. Were 25/6. Sale Price, each **9/6**

Ladies' Overalls, in Washing Prints, with inset dainty jazz Collar. Were 4/11. Sale Price, now **1/11**

Ladies' Overalls, Black, in rich satin finished material. Worth 8/11. Sale Price, each **4/6**

Striped Flannel Shirting, in nice Fancy Stripes. Was 4/-. Reduced now to, per yard **1/6**

Sale Offer Men's Boots—700 Pairs of Gentlemen's Splendid Quality Boots, for city or country. Very Best Black or Brown Box Calf Leather, Solid Leather Soles, Lined Leather. Were 29/6. Sale Price now **15/6**

Sale Offer Ladies' Shoes—200 Pairs Ladies' Dainty Grey Fabric Walking Shoes, Laced, and with smart Cuban heels. Were 12/6 pair. Sale Price **6/11**

Big Sale Offer.—Ladies' Boots—280 Pairs of Ladies' Superior High Leg Boots, in Splendid Black Leather; smart Cuban Heels. Were 35/- pair. To be Sold now at **12/11**

Great Bargain — Ladies' One-Bar House Shoes, good leather soles. Silent heels. Were 6/11 per pair. Sale Price **3/11**

Great Sale of Shoes and Boots—Ladies' Smart Derby Shoes, in Box Calf, with Cuban heels. Worth 18/11. Sale Price, pair **7/11**

Bargain in Ladies' Shoes—Ladies' Glace Kid Walking Shoes, Stitch Sole, Patent Cap, Cuban Heels. Were 25/6 and 27/6. Bargain Price, pair **12/6**

Gentlemen's Beautiful Brogue Shoes, in Black and Brown Leathers, leather lined, and made on splendid lasts. Worth 27/6. Sale Price **15/-**

Great Shoe Bargain—Ladies' Stylish Brown Leather Walking Shoes, laced, smart Cuban heels, leather lined, splendid for wear. Worth 27/6. Sale Price, per pair **10/6**

We are agents for Pinet's Beautiful Paris Shoes and Boots.

Boys' Boots—All leather, for hard wear, leather lined:

Sizes.	Sale Price.
7 to 10	7/6
11 to 1	7/11
2 to 6	8/6

Sale of School Boots.—Girls' Boots, in Serviceable Medium Black Leather. Worth double. Sizes 7 to 10. Sale, per pair **5/11**

	Sale Price per pair
Sizes 11 to 1	6/11
Sizes 2 to 5	7/11

Great Bargains in Children's Leather Boots, in Black and Brown. Fair stitched soles. Sizes 3 to 6. Sale Price, per pair **2/11**

Sale Offer of Ladies' White Shoes.—600 Pairs Ladies' White Poplinette Court Shoes, with smart Cuban heels. Worth 5/11. Sale Price now, per pair **1/11**

Ladies' White Shoes, in White Poplinette, with large tongue and buckle; smart covered Cuban heels. Worth 8/11. Sale Price, per pair **2/11**

Ladies' Very Dressy White Shoes, in Laced make, with smart Cuban heels. Worth 9/11. Sale Price, per pair **3/11**

Sale of Children's White Shoes, sandal make, with dainty pom-pom. Sizes 7 to 10. Sale **3/6**

Sizes 11 to 1. Sale **3/11**

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN FOOTBALL BOOTS, Etc.

Our Famous "Kickham" Football Boots, well made, strong Pliable Leather, 6 Studs. Bargain Price.
Boys' Sizes, 11 to 1 ... **6/11**
Boys' Sizes, 2 to 5 ... **8/11**
Men's, all sizes ... **10/6**

Football Jerseys for Men and Youths. White, Amber, Navy, Green, Royal, Marone, Sky, and Scarlet; also Vertical Stripes. Bargain Price, each **2/11**

Another Bargain—Football Knickers, all sizes; Navy or White. Bargain Price **1/11**

Great Sale of Bedsteads—Great Bargains—Black Strong Enamelled Single Bedsteads, with wire mattresses, complete. Sale Price, each **14/11**

Fibre Mattresses, to fit, finest make. Reduced to, each **12/11**

Enamelled Bedsteads.—Astonishing Bargain — 200 White Enamelled Bedsteads, Very Neat; Full Single Bed size. Were 39/-. Sale Price **29/6**

Splendid Double Bedsteads, Brass Mounted. Sale Price **29/6**

Best Wire Mattresses, on Best Frames. Guaranteed to wear for 30 years. Worth 50/-. Sale Price, each **27/6**

The Same Mattress, for Double Beds. Worth 70/-. Sale Price, each **37/6** (The Most Comfortable Mattress in the World).

Folding Stretcher Beds, with strong Wire Mattress attached. Sale, each **19/6**

Elaborate Brass-mounted Bedsteads, with 2in. Pillars. Sale Price **39/6**

Feather Pillows. Were 7/6. Sale, each **3/11**

Flock Pillows; were 3/6. Sale Price **1/3**

GREAT SALE OF COSTUMES, JUMPERS, HATS, BLOUSES, Etc.

Beautifully Tailored Navy Serge Costumes, in superfine serges. Worth 5½ Guineas. Sale Price **63/-**

Ladies' All-Wool Knitted Jumpers, in dainty colours, Saxe, Rose, Jade, White, etc., with long sleeves. Were 9/11 each. Sale, each **3/11**

Ladies' Black Dresses.—200 Useful Black Frocks, daintily made, in serviceable Black material. Were 19/6 each. Sale Price now, each **6/11**

Great Bargain Ladies' Coats—300 Lovely Cream Wrap Coats, in Fleecy Flannel, for the coming season. Were 49/- each. Bargain Price, each **15/-** Order To-day.

White Voile Blouses — Dainty White Voile Blouses, Turnover Collar, Daintily Trimmed. Worth 5/11. Bargain Price **2/11**

Fur Department. — Ladies' New Marabout Shoulder Capes. Worth 17/6. Sale Price **12/6** Ladies' Long Wide Marabout Stoles; Bargain Price 27/6. Bargain Price **15/-**

Wonderful Offer in Serge Robes.—Ladies' Beautifully-made Navy Serge Dresses, Piped in Coloured Silk. Were 27/6. Sale Price now **10/6**

Big Sale Offer Ladies' Cardigans—Beautiful Cardigan Coats. Were 15/6 to 19/6. With two pockets. Rose, Saxe, Navy, Lemon, Grey, and Champagne. Reduced now to **5/11**

Wonderful Bargain in Shirt Blouses, in silky-finished twill material; white ground with neat coloured stripes. Were 7/11. Bargain Price now **3/11**

Ladies' Wool Golf Coats—Ladies' Very Expensive Beautiful Coats in All-Wool, with belt, Rose, Brick, Black, Saxe, Navy. Were 39/-. Now **8/11**

Black Aprons—A New Bargain Lot—Very large, 50 inches wide, made of good Satin Cloth. Bargain Price **1/9**

Black Blouses, in large Sizes and Out-sizes. Were 9/11. Reduced now to **3/11**

Overalls—Ladies' Dainty All-round Frock Overalls, Saxe or Navy Skirt, Jazz Waist, two pockets, Neatly trimmed. Worth 7/11. Sale Price **2/11**

Nurses' Linen Finished Aprons—Large White Aprons. Superior Quality, 37 inches long and 58 inches wide. Regulation Bib. Were 5/11. Now, each **2/11**

Ladies' Large White Morning Aprons—Were 2/11. Sale Price, each **1/-**

Housemaids' Print Dresses, in Washing Prints. Were 8/11. Sale Price **4/11**

Carpets at less than Half Prices in Beautiful Turkey Designs and Fawn Designs.

Some Small Bedroom Art Carpets—Reversible Red Designs or Green Designs, 2½ yards long. Were 42/-. Sale Price now **10/-**

Straw Mats—1,500 Useful Straw Bedroom Mats. Were 1/6. Sale Price now, each **8½d.**

Great Bargain—Fancy Straw Mats—Splendid heavy make, hand-made, and handsome designs, for bedsides or dressing tables, etc. Sale Price, each **2/11**

Deerskin Hearthrugs.—Great Sale Offer—200 Beautiful Deerskin Rugs. Were 25/6. Sale Price now **9/11** Order to-day.

Hearthrug Bargains — Beautiful Hearthrugs, Very Rich Designs, Reversible. Were 17/6. Now **8/11**

Heavy Floor Oilcloth for Stairs, 18 inches wide. Was 2/3. Bright Designs. Sale Price, per yard **1/-**

Real Linoleum—Carpet Designs, 2 yards wide. Worth 15/6. Sale, per yard **5/11** (At the rate of 2/11½ sq. yd.)

Great Bargains in Linoleums, Floorcloths, and Carpets—Floor Cloth in Lovely Carpet and Tile Designs, 2 yards wide. Sale Price, per yard **3/11**

Cheap Bedroom Hearthrugs, 1½ yards long. Sale Price, each **1/11**

Best Door Mats, Cocoa Fibre, medium size. Sale Price **1/11** Larger size **3/11**

Oilcloth for Shelves. Sale Price, per yard **3½d.**

Oilcloth for Tables, white ground or dark ground; was 3/11. Good quality. Sale, Price now, per yard **1/9**

Axminster Parlour Mats, in rich colourings; 27 x 10 inches. Worth 4/11. **3/6**

Great Sale of Knives and Forks.—1,000 Best Polished Steel Hotel Knives and Forks, made for everlasting wear. Worth 3/-. Sale, now, each **6d.**

Wonderful Bargain in Real Nickel Silver Forks and Spoons and Refined Steel Knives, Sheffield made. Full-size Table Knives, Silver. Reduced to, each **10½d.** Dessert Knives, each **9½d.**

Full-size Nickel Silver Table Forks. Reduced to, each **10½d.**

Nickel Silver Dessert Forks, each **9½d.**

Nickel Silver Table Spoons, each **9½d.**

Nickel Silver Tea Spoons, all Sheffield. Each **4½d.**

Large All Steel Scissors. Great Bargain. Sheffield Steel. Were 4/9. Now, each **1/-**

Toilet Soaps. — Beautifully Milled Toilet Soap, and delicately perfumed. Worth 4½d. tablet. Sale Price, per tablet **2½d.**

Skirt Bargains—600 Beautifully Cut Tweed Walking Skirts, in Grey Herringbone. Were 9/11. Now, each **4/11**

Navy Wool Serge Pleated Skirts.—Great Bargain in Ladies' beautifully pleated Navy All-Wool Skirts. Worth 29/6. Bargain Price **8/11**

Sale Offer of Pleated Skirts, in Lovely Grey and Heather Fine Tweeds. Were 12/6. Sale Price, each **6/11**

Moirette Underskirts, Greys, Navy, Rose, etc. All Reduced to, each **1/11**

2 Wonderful Bargains in Ladies' Waterproof "Trench" Coats—Beautiful Cut Fawn Coats, Rubber-lined, with belt. Were 27/6. Sale Price now **15/-**

Ladies' Beautiful Navy Blue Waterproof "Trench" Coats, Rubber-lined, smart cut and make, with Belt. Were 35/-. Sale Price now **17/6**

Ladies' Superior Gabardine Twill Showerproofs, trench make, fawn, check lined throughout. Were 3 Guineas. Big Bargain Price **20/-**

GLOVE BARGAINS.

Ladies' 2-Button Fine Knit Silkette Gloves—Great Bargain Offer. White Chamois Beaver and Brown. Were 2/6. Sale Price now, per pair **6½d.**

Gauntlet Leatherette Washable Gloves, great bargain in white and chamois colour, with strap wrist. Were 3/11. Reduced now to, per pair **1/11**

Sale Offer of Ladies' Gauntlet Nappa Gloves, long Gauntlet wrist and Roller strap. Worth 10/6. Sale Price **5/11**

Wonderful Glove Bargain—Beautiful Washable Double Fabric Suede Finish Gloves, Fringed Gauntlet, Strap and Buckle, in White, Putty, Chamois, Beaver, and Champagne. Were 5/11. Now, per pair **2/11**

Glove Bargain—Ladies' Very Superior Quality 2-Button Natural Chamois Gloves. Washable. Were 7/11 pair. Sale Price **3/11**

Ladies' Real Austrian Nappa Gloves. Were 12/6 pair. Sale Price now, per pair **4/11**

Glove Bargain.—Ladies' Expensive Fringed Gauntlet Washable Chamois Gloves, also with mitred Gauntlets, embroidered in black. Were 12/9 pair. Sale **5/11**

KNITTING WOOLS AND SILKS.

Big Bargains in Wool Threads.—Beautiful Double-Knitting Wools, in White, Black, Navy, Peacock, Brick, Lemon, Cardinal, Mole, Champagne, Pink, Saxe, Grey, Sky, Putty, Fawn, Tan, and Jade. Per ounce **2½d.** Ask for patterns. Magazine instructing how to make Knitted Jumpers and Dresses, 5d. Also Book: "How to Crochet," 5d.

Superfine Fingering Wools, in Cardinal, Lemon, Heather, Tan, Rose, Saxe, White, Black, Jade, Emerald, Pink. Bargain Price, per ounce **4½d.** Ask for Patterns. 5/9 per lb.

Steel Jumper Needles—Sold elsewhere 1/6 pair. Our Price, pair **3½d.**

GREAT SALE OF SERGES.

Navy Blue All-Wool Serge.—50 Rolls of Double Width Navy Serge, all Wool, for Ladies' Dresses or Children's Frocks. To be Sold in the Sale at, per yard **1/11** Also Black.

Heavy All-Wool Cheviot Serges, 54 inches wide, in Navy, Brown and Wine. Were 4/11 yard. Reduced now to, per yard **2/3**

Bargain Offer. — Double-Width Cream Blanket Serge — Great Purchase of Beautiful Heavy Blanket Serge, for Ladies' or Children's Coats, Costumes, etc.; Cream only; Double Width. Was 8/11 yard. Bargain Price, per yard **2/11**

Ladies' Tweed—Great Bargain in Navy, Heather, with faint White Stripe, 42 inches wide. Sale, per yard **1/6**

Superior Estamene Serges, pure wool, 52 inches wide, in Navy and Black. Splendid for wear. Were 5/11 yard. Bargain Price, per yard **2/11**

Great Bargain—Ladies' Frocks—Big Bargain Purchase of Ladies' Beautiful Zephyr Dresses, in Dainty Stripes and New Checks, Pink, Grey, Saxe and Helio, for the coming season. Offered now at, Bargain Price **4/11**

Cannot be had again under 12/6.

Ladies' Dainty New Sponge Cloth Summer Dresses, great bargain; Lemon, Shell Pink, Champagne, Cream, Saxe, Coral. Worth 15/6 each. Offered now at, each **6/11**

Sale Offer of All-Wool Gabardine.—450 Yards of Navy Gabardine, splendid heavy make, 54 inches wide. Was 10/6 yard. Sale Price **5/11**

Great Bargain French Serge.—100 Rolls Serge, all Purest and Best Wool, dyed now into 5 Colours—Navy, Dark Brown, Black, Grey, and Fawn; 58 inches wide. Worth 12/6 yard. Bargain Price, per yard **3/11** Ask for patterns.

Admiralty Serge.—Big Bargain Purchase—Navy Blue, splendid for making boys' hard-wearing suits. Worth 4/11 yard. Sale Price, 28 inches wide **2/11**

Superfine All Wool Serge, 54 inches wide, in Dark Navy, for Costumes. This Serge was 24/6 per yard originally. Sale Price now, per yard **6/11**

Black Sateen Casban and Linenettes. All at, per yard **1/-**

Ladies' Shot Stockings, Black/Blue, Black/White, and Black/Red. Were 2/11 pair. Sale Price, pair **1/-**

Ladies' Superior Llama Finish Stockings. Black. Were 2/6 pair. Sale, per pair **1/-**

Women's Heavy Knit Stockings. Black. Were 2/3 pair. Sale Price **1/-**

Ladies' Stockings—Artificial Silk—80 dozens of Ladies' Rich Art Silk Stockings, Ribbed all round, full length leg, Black, Nigger, Mole, and Grey. Were 5/11. Bargain Price now, pair **2/6**

Coloured Artificial Silk Stockings, Superior Quality. Grey, Mole, Nigger, and Black. Were 3/11. Sale, pair **1/11**

Women's Ribbed All-Wool Worsted Stockings. Were 2/11 pair. Sale Price now **1/11**

Women's Superior Cashmere Stockings, all wool. Black, Grey, and Brown. Were 3/11. Sale Price now **1/11**

Ladies' Fine Stockings — 200 dozens of Fine Seamless Stockings, in Grey and Black. Were 1/3 pair. Sale Price now **6½d.**

Sale of Beautiful Wool Shawls, in Cream or Black, for Women or Babies, 1½ yards square. Were 15/- each. Now Reduced to, each **7/6**

Bargains in Embroideries — 800 Pieces of Dainty White Embroidery, 10 inches wide, in many beautiful designs. Worth 1/3 yard. Bargain Price, per yard **5½d.**

Flouncing Embroidery, 27 inches wide, beautiful quality. Was 2/3 yard. Sale, per yard **1/-**

BARGAINS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Boys' Grey Summer Flannel Knickers (4 to 13 years). **3/11**

Great Sale of Boys' Suits.—Boys' 3-Garment Suits, in Grey Herringbone Tweed. To fit 5 to 13 years. Were 29/6 suit. Sale Price, now **15/-**

Waterproof School Capes—Children's Waterproof School Capes, Fawn, sizes 24 to 30 inches. Sale Price, each **2/11**

Boys' Irish Tweed Suits—Splendid Materials. Were 45/-. Sale now **25/6** Youths. Were 42/-. Sale **35/-**

Boys' Strong Corduroy Knickers, Fawn, lined all through, to fit 3 to 6 years. Bargain Price **3/11** Also to fit 7 to 12 years, 4/11.

Boys' Superior Quality All-Wool Jerseys—300 Travellers' Samples of Jerseys. Were up to 8/11 each. Grey, Brown, Ruby, White. Finest wool. Sale Price, each **3/11**

Shirts—Boys' Strong Shirts (up to 15 years). Every Size. Bargain Price **2/11** (State the age.)

Boys' Cream Winceyette Tennis Shirts, with polo collar, all sizes. Also in white pique. Sale Price, each **3/11**

Boys' Navy Serge Knickers, made of splendid serge. Were 9/11. Sale Price now **4/11**

Knicker Hose.—Boys' Irish Knicker Stockings, in Greys and Browns, with Fancy Turn-over Tops. Worth 4/11. Bargain Price, pair, To suit ages 4 to 16 **1/3**

Wide Silk Ribbon for Hair—Navy, Black, Red or Pink. Sale Price, per yard **6½d.**

Great Sale Bargain—Girls' All-Wool Navy Serge Dresses, with Pleated Skirts and Bodice. Embroidered in Fancy Floss Stitch. 24 to 30 inch. Sale **13/6** 33 to 36 inch. Sale **14/6**

SALE OF UNDERCLOTHING AND CORSETS.

Ladies' Ribbed Undervests in fine Cotton, 39 inches long. Were 2/6. Sale Price **1/-**

Clearance of Expensive Fleeced Knickers, in Saxe and Grey. Were 5/11. Now to be Sold at **1/11**

Ladies' All-Wool Combinations. A small lot left over, to be cleared now at, each **3/11**

Ladies' New Summer-weight Stockinette Knickers, in Navy, Saxe and Grey. Were 2/11. Reduced now to **1/6**

Nainsook Nightdresses, in beautiful quality fine Nainsook; elaborately trimmed with embroidery and ribbon. Were 13/6. Reduced now to **6/11**

Ribbed Combinations—Great Bargain Offer—Ribbed Combinations, with deep crochet tops. Were 5/11. Bargain Price, now **1/11**

Knitted Shetland Wool Camisoles. Were 3/6. Sale Price **1/6**

Great Bargain Ladies' Corsets.—Great Bargain Offer Ladies' Corsets, in Best Shapes; Good Models. All Beautifully Made. Pale Pink and White. Worth 10/6. Sale now **3/11**

Ladies' All Wool Combinations—40 Dozens only. To be cleared now, each **5/11**

Camisoles.—Dainty Camisoles, Beautifully Trimmed Lace. Sale Price, each **10½d.**

Camisole Bargain—Ladies' Daintily Trimmed Camisoles, Trimmed Dainty Lace at arms and neck. Were 2/11. Reduced now to, each **1/6**

Nightdresses—Ladies' White Longcloth Nightdresses, Superior Quality, with Trimmed Front and Double Collar. Were 7/11. Sale Price now **4/6**

Chemises—Ladies' White Longcloth Chemises, Trimmed and Embroidered. Were 4/6. Reduced now to **1/11**

Children's Combinations, woven make, spring and summer weight. Sizes 1 to 6. All, Sale Price **2/11**

Real Whalebone Hairbrushes for Ladies. Were 5/11. Sale now **1/11**

Splendid Large Dressing Combs. Were 1/11 each. Reduced now to, each **1/-**

Tennis Racquets—500 Beginners' Racquets, well strong and balanced. Worth 10/6 each. Sale Price, each **5/-**

BARGAINS FOR MEN.

Real Donegal Tweeds.—For Men's Suits, lovely colour mixtures of grey. Several rolls left over. To be sold now at, per yard **1/11**

Great Sale of Men's Suit Lengths—400 Suit Lengths of Beautiful Tweeds, in Browns, Dark Grey, and Beautiful Heathers (3½ yards Double Width). Were 32/-. Sale Price now **12/6** Best Quality Trimmings for Men's Suits, now 15/-.

Bargain for Men—Suit Lengths—A Wonderful Offer of Serge Suit Lengths in All-Wool, and in Indigo Navy Dye. Was originally 27/6 per yard. Reduced now to Sale Price, per Suit Length of 3½ yards **29/-**

Sale of Men's Tweed.—Splendid Grey Tweed for Suits for Men's or Boys' wear. Single Width. To be sold in the Sale, per yard **1/3**

Sale Offer of Gentlemen's Watches, excellent timekeepers; 2,000 only; nickel-plated, keyless watches. Were 12/9 each. Offered now at, each **4/6**

Men's Bargain Waterproof Coats.—Over 1,000 Men's Double-breasted Waterproof Trench Coats, smartly cut and made. Were 59/-. Now **15/-**

Boys' Stylish Trench Overcoats. Were 27/6. Sale **15/-**

Men's Superior Gabardine Raincoats, with Raglan sleeves. Fawn. Were 63/-. Sale Price now **35/-**

Gentlemen's Navy Serge Suits, stylishly cut, and made of splendid All-Wool Serge. Were 4½ guineas. Sale Price **50/-**

Men's Irish Tweed Suits, well tailored, and splendid for wear. Were 79/-. Suit. Sale Price **50/-**

Men's Bedford Cord Riding Breeches, in Fawn, with Laced Knees. Very hard wearing. Were 29/-. Sale Price **15/-**

Men's Navy Woollen Serge Trousers, well tailored. Were 18/6. Sale Price **10/-**

Penknives.—Great Bargain—Neat Nickel Vest Pocket Penknives. Were 1/9. Sale Price, each **6d.**

Real German Razors—Astonishing Offer—850 Real German Hollow Ground Razors. Worth 15/- each. Offering while the quantity lasts. Sale Price, each **2/11**

Great Sale of Razors—Hollow Ground Best Sheffield Steel Razors in Case. Sale Price, each **6d.** Superfine Steel Blades, 9d. per doz.

Gillette Razor Blades. Sale Price, each **3½d.**

Clearance of Briar Pipes—About 300 dozens of Briar Pipes, many shapes. Were originally 1/6 and 1/11. Sale Price now, each **6d.**

Men's Grey Flannel Trousers—A Big Bargain Purchase. Smartly tailored. Were 13/6. Sale, now **7/6**

More Expensive Flannel Trousers. Were 22/-. Sale **10/6**

Men's Tailored Tweed Suits. About 150 Beautifully Tailored Men's Suits, in Heather Mixtures. Were 65/- to 75/-. All reduced to Sale Price, each **21/-**

Men's Natural Merino Undervests and Drawers. Were 4/11. Sale Price now, each garment **2/6**

Undervests and Drawers—100 Undervests and Drawers in Medium Weight. All Pure Wool. Were 12/6 each. Sale now **5/11**

Gentlemen's Summer Tunic Shirts—Big Bargain Purchase of Beautiful Shirts, in tiny check patterns. Dressed Band and Soft Cuff, with Collar to match. Were 10/6. Sale Price, Shirt and Collar **5/11**

Real Irish Poplin Ties, with wide open ends. Sold everywhere at 4/-. All newest designs, bright or dark. Sale Price **1/6**

Men's All-Wool Seamless Cashmere Socks. Were 2/11 pair. Sale Price, per pair **1/-**

Men's Riding Breeches—Wonderful Bargain. Men's Riding Breeches—1,000 Pairs Men's Hard-wearing Dark Whipcord Riding Breeches, with Laced Knees and Double Inside Leg. Worth 29/6. Bargain Price **12/6**

Astonishing Offer of Socks—Men's Seamless Knitted Ribbed Socks. Heather Mixtures. Were 1/11. Reduced now to, per pair **7½d.**

Men's Irish Knit Woollen Socks, in Browns and Greys. Sale, per pair **1/-**

Men's Pyjamas, in Large Neat Stripes. Reduced now to, per suit **8/11**

Great Bargain in Men's Wear—Men's Whipcord Trousers—Splendidly made Hard-wearing Dark Trousers. These garments were made to sell at 30/-. Sale Price now **12/6**

Men's Caps, in Very Superior Tweeds, richly lined. Were 5/11. Sale Price **1/6** Also Boys' **1/6**

Gentlemen's Shirts—Great Bargain—400 Soft White Shirts. Dressed Band and Soft Double Cuffs. Great Bargain. Now, each **3/11**

Men's Soft Flannel Finished Shirts, cream ground, with fancy stripes. Were 8/11. Sale Price, each **4/11**

Men's Braces—Great Bargain—Very Superior Wide Web Braces. Sale Price **1/-**

Sale Offer of Irish Travelling Rugs, 400 expensive Fleecy Irish Wool Travelling Rugs, Beautiful Patterns. Were 39/-. Sale Price now, each **18/6**

Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs, beautiful large White Handkerchiefs. Worth 10½d. each. Sale now, each **4½d.**

GREAT SALE of CHINA & GLASS.

China Cups and Saucers—3,000 to be Sold at, per Cup and Saucer **4½d.**

Cups and Saucers—1,000 Large White and Gold China Cups and Saucers. Sale Price now, per Cup and Saucer **6d.**

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Great Bargain—Alarm Clocks—Great Bargain Purchase—Full size handsome Alarm Clocks, with splendid loud, clear, nickel Gong. Our wonderful Bargain Price, each **3/11** Each clock packed securely in cardboard box.

Astonishing Offer—400 Fine English China Tea Services. 21 pieces. Were 15/6. Sale Price, per set **7/6**

Great Bargain Offer in Dinner Sets—Real Staffordshire Semi-Porcelain. 26 pieces. Were 29/6. Now, per set **16/6**

Old Willow Tea Sets.—Astounding Tea Set Bargains — Old Willow Pattern — Another 1,000 of these lovely Tea Sets, 21 Pieces. Staffordshire Ware. Powder Blue on White Ground. Bargain Price, the Set **7/6**

Astonishing Offer in Large Glass Dishes, old Waterford Reproduction. Were 5/11. Now **1/11**

Breakfast Sets—600 Full Breakfast Services in White and Gold China. 27 pieces. Sale Price, per set **12/6**

Neat Bedroom Toilet Services, 5 pieces. Sale Price, per set **8/11**

Dinner Sets in Old Willow Pattern, 26 pieces. Were 37/6. Reduced now to, per set **24/6**

Decorated China Tea Services—Astonishing Bargain. Dainty Tea Sets in Floral Designs. Were 21/-. 21 pieces. Sale Price, now **9/11**

Tall Glass Vases, Antique Reproductions. Sale Price, each **11½d.**

Blue Band Tea Services—200 Tea Sets of 21 pieces, in semi-Porcelain with blue band and gold line. Were 18/6. Sale Price now, per set **9/6**

Bedroom Water Bottles—800 Water Bottles with drinking glass. Were 1/3. Sale Price now **8½d.**

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All Orders for China and Glass must include 1/6 extra for box.

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Donegal Tweeds.—For Men's ... lovely colour mixtures of grey. ... rolls left over. To be sold ... per yard 1/11

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... Quality Trimmings for Men's ... now 15/-.

... for Men—Suit Lengths—A ... Offer of Serge Suit ... in All-Wool, and in Indigo Dye. Was originally 37/6 ... Reduced now to Sale ... per Suit Length of 29/-

... of Men's Tweed.—Splendid Tweed for Suits for Men's or ... wear. Single Width. To ... in the Sale, per 1/3

Offer of Gentlemen's Watches, ... timekeepers; 2,000 only; ... plated, keyless watches. Were ... each. Offered now 4/6

Bargain Waterproof Coats.—1,000 Men's Double-breasted ... proof Trench Coats, smartly ... made. Were ... Now 15/-

Stylish Trench Overcoats. 27/6. ...... 15/-

Superior Gabardine Raincoats with Raglan sleeves. Fawn. 63/-. Sale Price 35/-

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... Briar Pipes—About 300 ... of Briar Pipes, many shapes. ... originally 1/6 and 1/11. ... Price now, each ...... 6D.

... Grey Flannel Trousers—... Big Bargain in Purchase. ... tailored. Were ... Sale, now 7/6

Expensive Flannel ... Were 22/-. Sale now 10/6

Tailored Tweed Suits. About ... Beautifully Tailored Men's ... in Heather Mixtures. Were ... all reduced ... Sale Price, each 21/-

Natural Merino Undervests Drawers. Were 4/11. Price now, each 2/6

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... men's Summer Tunic Shirts ... Bargain Purchase of Beautiful Shirts, in tiny check patterns. ... Band and Soft Cuff, with ... to match. Were 10/6. ... Price, Shirt and 5/11

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Men's Riding Breeches—Wonderful ... Pairs Men's Hard-wearing ... Whipcord Riding Breeches, Laced Knees and Double ... Leg. Worth 29/6. ... Price 12/6

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Irish Knit Woollen Socks, ... Browns and Greys. Sale ... per pair 1/-

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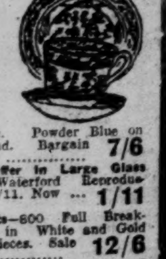

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AS Private Secretary, Confidential Assistant, or Clerk, by young married Man, 25, Intermediate Exhibitioner, Honours Undergraduate, with five years' commercial experience, two years' public company, secretarial work included; thorough knowledge all secretarial and office routine; excellent references. Address "Z 939, Employment," this office.

CONSTABULARY Pensioner, Protestant, single, wants situation, any position of trust; is an experienced caretaker; good references. Address "Z 932, Pensioner," this office. 25 A

COMPANION Help, Housekeeper, Protestant; excellent experience; good cooking, all household management.—N 1094, this office.

DRAPERY—Young Lady (Protestant), just completed Apprenticeship in first class provincial firm, seeks engagement. Address "Z 929, Drapery," this office. 25 A

EDUCATED young Man seeks situation; capable carpenter, drive motor, do running repairs, make himself useful any capacity; take situation, gentleman's House; excellent references.—N 781, this office. 24 F

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist seeks position; highest references.—N 772, this office. 25 A

GENERAL Handyman seeks engagement; carpentry, building, necessary repairs; well recommended.—N ..., this office.

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HIGHLY educated Lady leaving college desires position as Shorthand Typist.—N 859, this office.

HIGHLY educated Lady seeks Position of Trust or Companion to Lady; R.C.; exceptional references. Address "Z 990, Lady," this office. 27 A

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LAUNDRY Manageress requires situation; highest references. Address "Z 889, Laundry," this office. 24 F

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LADY Shorthand Typist and Clerk disengaged; experienced general office work. Address "Z 916, Typist," this office. X

LADY desires a position to assist management lady's house or outdoor business, exchange for board residence and some remuneration; country preferred. Address "Z 1010, Lady," this office.

LADY wishes post Daily Companion of Lady Help.—E 28, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

PAINTER, Paperhanger, Grainer does jobs, cheap; city, country.—T. te, rear 49 Mountjoy square. 24 F

POST desired as Companion or Nursery Governess, experienced, R.C.; excellent reference; interview possible.—N 804, this office. 25 A

PROTESTANT Useful Help wishes situation in small family; Blackrock preferred; well recommended.—E O 1484, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 26 B

POST Office—Lady, competent all duties, desires vacancy, relief or permanent, or exchange work, Dublin.—E. McWalter, Dranmore, Co. Galway. 26 F

POST Office—Wanted, by Protestant young Lady, situation Assistant; sounder, counter, accounts. Address "Z 972, Assistant," this office. 27 A

SPIRIT Trade—Experienced Man, ag. 40, seeks engagement; first class references thoroughly understands all branches.—N 1099, this office.

TURNER and Fitter would be glad to hear of a vacancy.—N 862, this office. 26 F

YOUTH, 15 years, just leaving school, desires position as Office Boy.—N 851, this office. A

YOUTH desires position in Picture House, good Pianist and Reader, city.—N 974, this office. 26 B

YOUNG Lady, take out children or as Mother's Help, daily.—N 1016, this office.

YOUNG Lady wishes to improve at Grocery; home experience; help light housework. Address "Z 980, Grocery," this office.

YOUNG Girl wishes to hear of vacancy as Companion and mind one child; good references. Address N 1041, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

HERD Yardman Wanted, single, Protestant; state terms with perquisites. Address "Z 925, Herd," this office.

MAN, for Dairy; good milker, early riser. Apply Mr. Corless, Clonskea. 26 F

RABBIT Trapping Wanted of well stocked Warrens; will exterminate.—Lombard, Grange, Buttevant, Cork. 26 B

TRAPPERS Wanted, with or without gear; well stocked.—Burns, Moneygall, Cloughjordan. 26 B

WANTED, Co. Louth, Herd; active man, good milker, know business; good house, usual perquisites; state wages and references. Address "Z 959, Herd," this office. 26 F

WANTED for Meath, Boy, I.C., gentleman's place (indoor); clean motor, general work; state wages expected, references. Address "Z 948, Boy," this office. 26 F

WANTED, for quiet country place, West Coast, good Man, single, Protestant, for General Farm Work; good milker and thorough knowledge of cows essential; indoor; good wages to suitable man; strict T.T.; another man kept. Address "Z 849, Man," this office. 24 X

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, Gardener and General Man, married; care pony, drive, milk, generally useful; send copies, state age, religion, wages, and family.—Miss Butler, Lavistown, Kilkenny. 27 A

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

AS General Indoor Servant or Waiter, man wishes situation.—N 1072, this office.

CARETAKER, with working sons, wants situation; Protestant family.—Rock Ballykilcavan, Stradbally, Leix. 25 B

COUPLE disengaged: Wife cook, Man indoor servant; excellent references. Address "Z 964, Couple," this office. 26 B

HERD and Shepherd wants situation, Protestant, single; has good discharges.—Joseph Kenny, Manooney, Killylea, Co. Armagh. 24 F

HERD Yardman disengaged; highly recommended; wife good milker and fowl rearer; no incumbrance. Apply J. N., c/o Mercan, Mountmellick. 24 F

HEAD Groom, married; highly recommended.—Groom, 2 Nore terrace, Maudlin street, Kilkenny. 24 F

SITUATION required on a Farm by a thoroughly experienced Man; well connected, but willing to do anything.—Cambie, The White House, Templemore. 27 A

YOUNG Man requires situation, indoor; thorough knowledge of horses, motor etc.; excellent references.—Ferguson's Registry, Carlow. 27 O

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

A GOOD Gardener and General Man, disengaged this week; can milk, do repairs; single; excellent references.—N 1095, this office.

GARDENER disengaged, wife poultry; both good milkers; no family.—N 740, this office. 25 A

GARDENER, hard working, experienced in all branches; son to help. Apply Gardener, Lurgan, Castleblayney. 27 A

GARDENER or Gardener and Steward, thoroughly experienced, aged 42, married, 3 in family; disengaged through place being sold.—Linton, Timoleague.

GARDENER (Singlehanded), Protestant, single; good worker, fruit, flowers, vegetables, indoor and out.—N 1110, this office. 27 O

LAND Steward, thoroughly experienced in stock and tillage; Protestant, married, no family; understands farm machinery; energetic, good manager. Address "Z 1003, Steward," this office. 27 C

MIDDLEAGED Man, married, no family, good discharges, seeks situation as Farm Steward; generally useful. Address C. Early, Ballinabarney, Longwood, Co. Meath. 26 B

WORKING Steward, married; good worker, practical experience all branches, machinery, stock, etc.; good manager of men; highly recommended. Address "Z 1004, Steward," this office. 27 A

DOMESTICS WANTED.

BETWEENMAID—Wanted, smart young Girl to go to England with family and Irish maids; previous experience not necessary; must have excellent references. Apply immediately, stating wages, Mrs Kevin Egan, Twickenham, Ballycumber, Offaly.

EXPERIENCED General Servant or Domestic Help Required as Betweenmaid, May 9th., for small country house, Co. Kildare; Protestant preferred; send papers; state wages. Address "Z 791, General," this office.

USEFUL Ladies' Maid Wanted; good sewer and washer of fine articles; wages £30; state age and references.—Mrs. T. B., Abberholme, Cheltenham. 27 C

WANTED at once thoroughly recommended Girl to Milk and Help in house; two in family; three maids. By letter only to Mrs. Swiney, Cloghanenly, Antrim road, Belfast. 24 F

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted for family of three ladies. Salary and references to Miss Wylie, Montana, Whitehead, Antrim.

WANTED, for England, a superior Person, to do the entire work of small house; no rough work; comfortable home; good outings; family four; must be good plain cook; salary £20.—H., 42 Warren road, Reigate, Surrey.

WORKING Housekeeper, Protestant, Wanted, country town, business house; good plain cooking and sewing essential; send references, age, and salary expected; family two; duties light; food and house good. Address "Z 1002, Housekeeper," this office. 27 O

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COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

A COOK General, or General, with good knowledge of cooking. Bring references, 87 Lower Leeson street. 27 A

COOK General or Betweenmaid Wanted for country gentleman's house in Co. Cavan; wages expected and particulars. Address "Z 943, Cook," this office. 25 B

COOK General Wanted; active, capable Girl; R.C.; some experience; send discharges, state age, wages.—Mrs. Harman, Oldcastle, Meath. 27 A

COOK Working Housekeeper, Protestant, Wanted, five miles from Dublin; mind poultry.—N 1029, this office. 27 O

COOK General Wanted for country house, small family; widow with daughter might suit.—Mrs. Pratt, Seafield, Gorey. 27 O

COOK General, superior, used to gentleman's house; good references essential; send copies.—Matron, Irish Times Registry Office.

CAN Lady recommend good Cook General for an English situation in Surrey? Good wages paid to one thoroughly experienced. Write "D Z," c/o Streets, Cornhill, London, E.C.3. 24 X

EXPERIENCED Cook required 14th May; kitchenmaid kept.—Lady Fry, Government House, Isle of Man. 25 C

GOOD Plain Cook Wanted; wages £26; family three; housemaid and parlourmaid kept. Apply General Clifford, Oarn Cottage, Belturbet, Co. Cavan. 24 F

GOOD Cook General Wanted (Protestant), very small family; wages from £36 to £40.—Pembroke Lodge, Dunmurry, Co. Antrim.

GOOD Cook Wanted, used to 5 in family; wages £40 to £45. Also good Housemaid; wages £30. Send discharges, age, etc., to Mrs. T. B., Abbeyholme, Cheltenham. 27 C

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid for country; good wages and outings for capable servants. Address "Z 809, Cook General," this office. 23 F

WANTED, Cook General, experienced dairy, poultry; quiet place, modern house, one lady; must be well recommended; country person preferred; state age, wages required. Send copies discharges. Mrs. Savage, Ardnaghes Cottage, Kilbeggan, Westmeath. 24 F

WANTED, good Cook, singlehanded, £30-£34; small dairy; some help; send copies.—Osborne, Dardistown, Drogheda. 24 F

WELL trained young Kitchenmaid required to train as Cook in school.—Castle Park, Dalkey. 25 A

WANTED for 1st May, good Cook General, small private hotel; country girl preferred.—P 406, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 25 A

WANTED, Cook General; good cooking; £30.—N 967, this office. 26 B

WANTED immediately for suburbs, Cook General and House Parlourmaid; must have some experience and be well recommended; Protestants.—N 1064, this office. 27 C

WANTED, good young Cook; small family, suburbs; send copies, age, wages.—N 1060, this office. 27 A

WANTED, superior young Protestant Girl as Cook General; singlehanded.—Mrs. E. N. Wynne, Wentworth House, Wicklow.

WANTED immediately, experienced Cook General and House Parlourmaid.—20 Earlsfort terrace. 27 A

GENERALS WANTED.

A GENERAL Wanted; only two in family. Apply 17 The Crescent, Clontarf. 24 F

AN experienced General Wanted for Leeds, England; small family; doctor's house; other help kept; good wages.—102 Donore terrace, Dolphin's Barn, Dublin.

CAPABLE General Wanted for Rathgar; small family; good wages; only experienced girl need apply.—R O 1490, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

EXPERIENCED General Wanted for Killiney; good cooking essential; family small; another maid kept; near station and R.C. church. Send copies, state age, religion, and wages, Miss Moore, Moorefield, Ballybrack. 27 C

GENERAL, experienced, Wanted; little cooking, small washing; two in family; help given.—Mrs. Melrose, Athy road, Carlow. 24 F

GENERAL Wanted; good cook; small family; good wages. Apply 4 Como terrace, Howth road. 26 F

GENERAL Servant Wanted; washing; one fond of children preferred; good wages.—Mrs. Price, Church street, Athlone. 25 B

GENERAL Wanted; good cook; must be well recommended; long papers. Interview after 6 o'clock, 58 Upper Leeson st. 26 F

GENERAL, Protestant, Wanted in Belfast; good cook, washing; must be trustworthy and highly recommended; middleaged; comfortable home; full particulars and wages.—Box No. 967, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 26 B

GENERAL Wanted; two children; washing; good wages. Call between 2 and 5, 7 Parkview avenue, Orossa.

GENERAL Servant Wanted, Portadown; small family; Protestant. Apply, with copies references, Mrs. Hopkins, La Vallee, Bray. 27 A

GENERAL Wanted for Sandycove; small family; good outings, good wages. Apply N 1024, this office. 27 A

GENERAL Servant Wanted, Upper Leeson street; three in family; must be well recommended.—N 1092, this office.

IRISH Family want young General Servant; washing; no cooking; liberal outings; state wages; send references.—Bathgar, Alexandra Grove, Finchley, London. 24 F

SMART, capable young General Wanted, country girl; well recommended; comfortable home; help given. Write, enclosing copy of papers, to M., c/o Walton's Library, Kingstown. 27 A

WANTED, General or Cook General; family four; no washing.—39 Lower Baggot st. 24 F

WANTED, young country Girl, to train as General; three in family; strict cleanliness; Sandycove. Apply N 314, this office. 27 A

WANTED, London, June, experienced General; family two; wages £40; send copies references.—Crosbie, 14 Saint Kilda road, Ealing, W. 13.

WANTED, smart young General; girl to train might suit.—30 Villiers road, Rathgar. 27 A

WANTED, smart young General; no washing; must be clean, tidy, well recommended; vicinity Sydney parade.—N 1067, this office. 27 C

WANTED, experienced young General for May and June; well recommended; good cook and housework; no washing, ironing, or scrubbing; five in family; Rathgar; £2 10/- monthly.—N 1046, this office. 27 O

WANTED, good General; three in family; comfortable place. Apply 24 Upper Mount st after 6 o'clock. 27 A

WANTED, experienced young General; must be early riser, do all cooking and housework; two in family, nurse and baby. Reply, stating wages expected, to 318, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

WANTED, experienced General, all duties; good wages and outings. Apply, by letter, 30 Waltham terrace, Blackrock.

WANTED, experienced General for Bray; good cook; family four; morning maid kept; no scrubbing or washing; wages £30. Reply, with copies, 26, Wilde's Office, Bray.

WANTED, for quiet country place, West Coast, good General, Protestant, age 30 or 40; good plain cook and able to wait at table; comfortable home; every consideration to trustworthy suitable person. Address "Z 848, General," this office. 24 X

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

LONDON FASHION JOTTINGS.

(BY AN IRISHWOMAN IN LONDON.)

HOW Fashion's Wheel does revolve, to be sure! Most of the old, inexpensive trifles put away in our early youth can at some time or other be used again. Grebe is the latest return. If you have the collar of your childhood put away, bring it forth at once and put it on a velvet evening cloak. I have seen some smart models at recent dress parades with Grebe collars used in this way, and, as the price is rapidly mounting, you are in luck if you are able to resurrect an old Grebe collar or two.

Lace.

Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon having set the fashion, lace is very much to the fore this season, especially with lingerie and boudoir clothes. Some of the most fascinating tea-gowns and rest-gowns are to be seen in coloured laces, and at a large London stores the other day I saw a sumptuous boudoir gown in mastic-coloured georgette, with a graceful overcape reaching to the hem of matching lace, and the cape was fashioned so that the lace also formed sleeves.

Handkerchief Hats.

Most picturesque and becoming are the handkerchief-trimmed hats which are shown so widely in the shops just now. One shady-brimmed white straw had a brilliant handkerchief scarf of lemon-yellow, bordered with burnt orange, swathed round the crown, where it crossed at the right-hand side, leaving wide, flowing ends which drape the shoulders like a cloak. Another pretty and practical model was a small hat of Indian red crêpe, with black and white crêpe handkerchief folded to form a lining to the brim and a drapery to the crown. Again the bordered end dangled gracefully over the right shoulder. The revival of scarf and trimming is a notable feature this season.

The Paisley Craze.

If you have any scraps of Paisley, now is the time to bring them out, for it is Paisley everywhere. The tops of the charming little three-piece suits are more often than not made of Paisley; whole coats, whole dresses, hats and bags are made of Paisley design material, though the colours chosen are not those usually associated with it.

Becoming Coiffures.

Coiffures alter from month to month. This season the woman with sleek raven tresses is coiling them loosely in the nape of the neck, and with a soft loop of hair over each ear puts the finishing touch to her coiffure in a captivating silver tissue and Madonna blue band. Lots of girls are parting the hair right down the middle and centre of the back, brushing the hair smoothly back and coiling it in braids over each ear. Such a method looks very well with classical features, and long ear-rings should be worn with this coiffure. Egyptian designs are still in favour, and a dark-eyed débutante would look charming in a head-dress made of silver tissue, embroidered in Oriental colours and multi-coloured beads.

The Reversible Wrap.

For the theatre and general evening wear the reversible wrap is being greatly favoured. Many of the new metal brocades and tissues lend themselves excellently well to the beautiful evening wraps one sees everywhere. Rich, supple black velvet, lined with silver tissue and collared with white fox, looks well when reversed. The scheme can be carried out in a number of ways, and looks charming as well as being economical.

Latest Bags.

The new idea in beaded bags is a loose one with a crescent-shaped bottom, beaded in a Persian design with such tiny beads that the effect is like extremely fine silk stockinette. Nigger, black and navy, blue moiré, finely pleated, makes smart square-shaped bags on moiré-covered frames; jewelled clasps add a note of distinction.

Almond Green.

This is the new note in handkerchiefs. Plain linen ones are edged with a tiny white border, and there are several green and white effects in plaids, checks and stripes. Greenish-yellow, dark green, chocolate, beige and Dutch blue are also very fashionable in plain linen or combined with white. White linen handkerchiefs are always in perfect taste, and the newest ones are shown simply finished with a picôt edge.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED

WANTED immediately, an experienced General; well recommended.—N 1107, this office.

WANTED, thoroughly experienced General; good cook, early riser; family three, Co. Wicklow; wages £35. Address "Z 1008, General," this office. 27 A

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

A P'MAID, London, £48, fare; Parlour, H'. P'maids, Dublin.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted; three in family; good wages.—Alderley, Adelaide road, Glenageary. 24 F

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted for one lady; must be experienced and recommended. Apply, Monday afternoon, 12 Wellington road.

STRONG Girl Wanted, train as House Parlourmaid. Address "Z 1001, House Parlourmaid," this office. 27 O

WANTED immediately, respectable country Girl to train House Parlourmaid, country town, County Wicklow. Address "Z 934, Girl," this office. 25 A

WANTED at once, experienced House Parlourmaid for quiet country town near London; fare paid. Apply Davis, Caerleon, Portmore Park, Weybridge, Surrey, England. 25 B

WANTED, South Ireland (country), steady, experienced House Parlourmaid, aged 35; wages £27 yearly; excellent references required. Reply Advertiser, Springfield, Kilternan, Co. Dublin. 25 F

WANTED, by May 7th, experienced House Parlourmaid; must be well recommended; age 28 or 30; three in family; wages £30.—Millar, Stramore, Temple road, Dublin.

NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS, and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

NURSE required for three young children; must be young and active.—N 716, this office. 24 F

NURSE for boy 2½ years; keep nursery and do own washing; able to drive; age over 25; state wages and send copies references.—Mrs. Nunn, Castlebridge, Co. Wexford. 26 F

NURSE for one child, 14 months; must be experienced. Apply with references and salary required, Stevenson, 2 Temple Villas, Rathmines.

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WANTED, an experienced Nurse to take charge of infant three months old; £36. Apply 42 Palmerston road, 2 to 6 o'clock, Wednesday and Thursday next. 4 23

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WANTED, superior young Protestant Nurse to take care of two children, 7 and 5, and help with baby; good needlewoman. Apply, with copies references, N 1075, this office. 27 O

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WANTED, good Laundress, two days weekly.—Fairyhill, Blackrock. 24 F

WANTED for King's County, Kitchenmaid, R.C., with some experience; strong, active, cleanly girl; good references necessary. Address, stating age and wages, "Z 949, Kitchenmaid," this office. 26 B

WANTED, experienced Kitchenmaid for Co. Dublin, country place; send particulars. Address "Z 983, Maid," this office. 27 A

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, R.C., strong country girl; suburbs; state age, wages, send copies. Address "Z 973, Kitchenmaid," this office. 27 O

WANTED, good Laundress for washing in own home.—Fry, Aureen, Ailesbury Park.

WANTED immediately, a good Singlehanded Kitchenmaid, R.C.; country.—Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Kildangan, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. 27 C

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

COUNTRY Girl, good dressmaker, desires post, Sewingmaid, lady's house or institution, city or suburbs.—N 900, this office. 26 F

ELDERLY Woman wants post, country house; can mind fowl.—N 1142, this office.

LADY highly recommends Working Housekeeper, one or two gentlemen; Protestant; excellent references.—N 724, this office. 24 F

RESPECTABLE young Girl seeks two or three days' weekly work; long papers.—N 285, this office.

SUPERIOR lady's Useful Sewingmaid requires situation; highly recommended. Particulars from Matron, Irish Times Registry. 27 C

SUPERIOR General; excellent cook; recommended. Interview Monday, Miss McCaul's, 9 Wicklow st.

USEFUL Maid, attend invalid lady, help housekeeping. Address "Z 994, Maid," this office.

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EXCELLENT Cook, with help, disengaged; long good papers; city; go Housekeeper.—N 302, this office. 27 O

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GENERAL or Children's Nurse, outdoor, disengaged; good papers.—N 801, this office. 25 A

GENERAL disengaged; country girl; some experience; no children; £18.—B O 1486, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 26 F

GENERAL, good cook, reliable, clean servant; go temporary. Seen 6 Charlemont place.

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EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid disengaged May 9th.—Hollywood House, Palmerston Park.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid, with housemaid, disengaged; well recommended.—554, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

HOUSE Parlourmaid, disengaged end of month; city, suburbs preferred; highly recommended.—B 45, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 24 F

HOUSE Parlourmaid, young, disengaged; small family; recommended; good papers.—549, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 25 E

MRS. Ferrier recommends Housemaid; good needlewoman. Apply 53 Eglinton road, Donnybrook. 26 B

MRS. More O'Ferrall can recommend Bridie Duane as Third Housemaid; has experience; tall, strong, R.C.—Kildangan, Monasterevan.

RESPECTABLE young Girl desires situation as House Parlourmaid; country preferred.—N 896, this office. 26 B

RESPECTABLE Woman, I.C., wishes re-engagement as Upper Housemaid, or Single in small family, Cork City or County; first class testimonials.—726, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork.

TO train Housemaid, country girl, age 26; wages from £25; R. Catholic; city, suburbs preferred. Address "Z 979, Maid," this office.

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CERTIFIED Children's Nurse, superior Girl, wants position, after 1st June, in good family; can care child from month old.—N 971, this office. 25 F

EXPERIENCED Protestant Infant's Nurse disengaged; first baby preferred; wages £36 to £40; highly recommended.—317, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 27 O

YOUNG Nurse Housemaid or Under Nurse; good references.—N 293, this office.

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ANGLING—The most practical and up to date Fishing Tackle House in Ireland; lists free.—Garnett, Crampton Court, Dublin. 19 T

FISHING Rods and Tackle—Large Stock Selling at less than cost prices; catalogues free.—L. Keegan, Inns quay, Dublin. 8 27

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FOR Sale, 14 feet Varnished Pleasure Boat. Inquire M. Hughes, 8 Clarence st., Dun Laoghaire. 24 F

FOR sale, several open Pleasure Rowing Boats and Punts, from 9ft. to 17ft.; all bright and varnished; cheap; inspect.—Murphy, Boat Builder, Ringsend. 26 B

12-14 BROOKE Marine Engine, complete with tank, piping, reverse gear, bronze shaft and propeller; recently overhauled and new; £15; Magneto fitted in perfect condition; £30. Apply M'Allister Bros., Northern Garage, Malahide.

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CASKS (freshly emptied wine), 115 gallons; 18/- each.—31 Lower Ormond quay. 24 F

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CRICKET Bag (leather), with three Balls, Pads, and White Flannel Trousers (nearly new); price 45/-.—N 304, this office. X

FOR Sale, Yard Bell, suit convent or church; good tone.—N 623, this office. 23 E

FOR Sale, Shanks' Pony Lawn Mower, perfect working order, also Pennsylvania, 17 inch. Apply Gortmore, Dundrum. 24 F

FOR Sale, Old China, 2 full Breakfast Sets (Copeland and Royal Doulton), with China Cabinet, £50.—N 1021, this office.

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FOR Sale, detachable Bow Roofed Wooden Hut, 9' x 7'.—1 Villiers' road, Rathgar. 27 A

GOERZ Prism Binoculars, imported direct from Berlin, for Sale. Apply Young, Coneyburrow, Celbridge. 27 O

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ROLL Top Desk for Sale, in good condition, light oak, four feet.—14 Corrig avenue, Kingstown, Co. Dublin. 26 F

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Peel, slice, and pound the onion; mix it with the other ingredients, boil 10 minutes, strain, and keep closely corked. Spread a little on the scorched part; when dry, spread more until the mark disappears.

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To Test Drains—If through any unpleasant smell, frequent sore throats, boils, or ill-health, the drains are suspected, they can easily be tested by oil of peppermint. Mix one ounce of oil of peppermint with three gallons of hot water, and pour it down the outside water closet, or the top of the soil-pipe, after closing all doors and windows. If there is a leak or defect anywhere, the smell will be apparent, in which case the matter should be attended to at once.

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To Remove Glass Stoppers—With a feather apply a few drops of any sweet oil round the stopper, close to the mouth of the bottle, and place it about a foot and a-half from the fire. The oil will introduce itself between the stopper and the neck. When it is warm gently strike the stopper on one side with a piece of wood; then try it with the hand. If not at first successful add a little more oil, and try again.

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To Clean Stained Ivory.—A little whiting moistened with lemon juice will remove recent stains from ivory.

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GLENDUN (Capt. Dixon) ....Grundy 8 10
PADDY'S CHARM (Mr. C. M'Laughlin) ..Reidy 8 10
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4.30—THE WELTER PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs.
One mile. Age. st. lb.
ERIN'S ROSE (Mr. P. D. Coen) ......Owner a 10 1
GAY DITTY (Mrs. F. H. Brooke) ....Arnott 5 9 5
TOXAWAY (Mrs. R. Croker) ....Parkinson 5 9 3
BLACK HAMBURGH (Mr. Coyle)......Grundy 3 8 12
TARA HILL (Mr. H. M. Hartigan).....Behan 3 8 12
BOLSHEVIST (Mrs. Croft) ....Ussher a 8 10
ELLEN'S BLAU (Mr. W. Duffy)......Delany 5 8 10
FRONT SIDE (Mr. T. D. McKeever) Walker 6 8 10
KILLALA (Mr. E. Kennedy) ....Hayde 4 8 10
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Five furlongs. Age st. lb.
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ZULU QUEEN (Mr. H. Stockman) Parkinson 3 8 12
STORMONT (Major Dixon) ....Behan 3 8 12
TOXAWAY (Mrs. R. Croker) ......Parkinson 5 8 12
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UP GARRYOWEN (Mr. T. Singleton) Brooks 3 8 2
PEARLEEN (Mr. H. J. Tully) ....Owner 4 8 9
ROYAL STUART (Mr. C. T. Wallis) Arnott 3 8 2
VESINGTON BOY (Mr. C. T. Wallis) Arnott 3 8 2

5.30—THE ASHTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. An open handicap.
Five furlongs. Age st. lb.
GRAND LAD (Mr. C. T. Wallis)......Arnott 4 9 9
ZULU QUEEN (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. Stockman) Parkinson 3 9 7
DOUBLER (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 4 9 0
SYMMETRIAN (Mr. W. O'Donohoe)...Hayde 5 9 0
GAY DITTY (Mrs. F. H. Brooke)....Arnott 5 8 10
TYDENE (Mr. P. J. Mundell) ....Reidy 4 8 9
DUSK (Mr. J. S. Lowry) ....Prendergast 4 8 9
LILIAN'S PET (Mr. G. Personne).....Doyle 4 8 7
TOMTOI (Mr. C. T. Wallis) ....Arnott 3 8 6
GALLANT CAPTIVE (Mr. C. Prendergast) Owner 5 8 5
OOLA (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ....McKenna 4 8 4
SANTA DECCA (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) Owner 4 8 4
PRINCESS MILDRED (Mr. F. B. O'Toole) Dawson 4 8 3
MARTENORA (Mr. T. N. Perry) ...Owner 3 8 2
LADY REGAL (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) M'Kenna 3 8 2
FLYING LILL (Mr. W. F. Power) Parkinson 4 8 0
BONNIE DOON (Mr. T. Lawton)..Rankin 3 7 13
ROYAL OAK (Mr. E. H. Woods) ....Kirk 6 7 12
RECTOR'S PRIDE (Mr. P. Thorpe)....Doyle 4 7 12
THE GRIPPER (Mr. P. Cullinan)....Doyle 3 7 12
INVERMAY (Capt. Bald) ....Grundy 3 7 12
FAIR IONIAN (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ....Grundy 3 7 10
SILVER PRINCE (Mr. L. Goodman) Parkinson 5 7 9
HARDICANUTE (Sir G. S. Murray) Parkinson 4 7 7
LADY ELAINE (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) M'Kenna 3 7 7

Bet with
CIVILITY
—(Advt.)

PHŒNIX PARK CLUB RACES

SATURDAY, JUNE 2nd, 1923.
The following Races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, MAY 2nd, with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.
WHITEFIELDS PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap. One mile.
WEIGHT-FOR-AGE PLATE of 100 sovs. Five furlongs.
TWO YEARS OLD SELLING PLATE of 100 sovs. Five furlongs.
ASHTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap. Five furlongs.
GREENMOUNT PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. One mile seven furlongs and 160 yards.
—(Advt.)

SLIGO RACES

WILL BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, MAY 1st, 1923.
COURSE AND STANDS IN SPLENDID ORDER; BEST OF RACING ASSURED.
FIRST RACE 1.30.
Train from Dublin (Broadstone) at 7.10 a.m.
Special train from Mullingar, 9 o'clock a.m.
Special train returning from Sligo for Mullingar and Dublin at 5.40 p.m.
—(Advt.)

RATHKEALE.

GOOD SPORT.

Favoured by fine weather, the Rathkeale Meeting yesterday proved very successful, the attendance being large and the sport very good. Details:—

2.30—**THE DEEL PLATE** of 25 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.
Mr. J. J. Foley's ch. g. BRAEMAR, by Lomond—Polka, 6, 12-1 ....J. Moylan 1
Mr. T. J. O'Sullivan's GAY CAVALIER, a, 10-12 D. Ward 2
Mrs. Jno. Murphy's VIVACE, a, 10-9 J. Regan 3
Mrs. D. Moloney's Rockdaile, a, 10-10 ...Glavin 0
Captain J. C. R. Delmege's Merryheart, 6, 10-5 J. Keane 0
(Winner trained by Moss.)
Betting—6 to 4 on BRAEMAR, 4 to 1 each Gay Cavalier and Vivace, 10 to 1 Rochdale, 20 to 1 Merryheart.
Rockdaile led from Vivace, Gay Cavalier, and Braemar, for a mile when Gay Cavalier took command, but gave way in the straight to Braemar, who won by three parts of a length; three lengths separated second and third. Rockdaile was fourth.

3.0—**THE VISITORS' PLATE** of 25 sovs. A steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. G. Quain's ch. g. RATHBAR, by Rathurde—Barbara, a, 10-4 ....J. Molony 1
Mr. W. J. Madden's BALLINACURRA BOY, a, 11-0 ....E. Houlihan 2
Mr. G. Hartigan's POLLYBY, 6, 11-0 J. Regan 3
Mr. M. Mitchell's Wolsey, 6, 11-0 Mr. McCarthy 0
Mr. G. A. O'Grady's Fort Eliza, 6, 11-0 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. B. Kirby's Swansey River, 6, 11-0 M. J. Harty 0
Mr. T. Hartigan's Battlefield, 6, 10-4 P. Powell 0
Mr. John Hayes's Tomas-an-Easpog, a, 10-4 D. Ward 0
Captain W. Molony's Cellcara, a, 10-4 J. Meaney 0
(Winner trained by M. J. Harty.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. RATHBAR, 5 to 2 Ballinacurra Boy, 4 to 1 Pollyby, 10 to 1 each Fort Eliza, Cellcara, and Tomas-an-Easpog, 20 to 1 others.
Ballinacurra Boy made play, followed by Pollyby, Swansey River, Tomas-an-Easpog, Wolsey, and Rathbar, to the straight, where the last-named challenged and won by a short head; a neck separated second and third. Swansey River was fourth. Wolsey fell after going half-way.

3.30—**THE KNOCKAWAD PLATE** of 30 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1½ m.
Mr. James Reidy's b. m. FERGUS SPRAY, by Rathurde—Fergus Foam, a, 9-4 ..J. Meaney 1
Mr. M. Hayes's GOLDEN CHERRY, 6, 9-0 P. Parsons 2
Mr. J. Punch's THE WILDERNESS, 6, 9-7 J. H. Harty 3
Mrs. D. Moloney's Ironmaster, a, 10-5 ..D. Ward 0
Mr. T. Sheehan's Never Mind, a, 9-12 M. Colbert 0
Mr. N. J. Greene's Wave Lad, a, 9-10 J. Moylan 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 each agst. Ironmaster and Never Mind, 5 to 1 FERGUS SPRAY, 7 to 1 Golden Cherry, 8 to 1 The Wilderness, 100 to 8 others.
Fergus Spray settled down from Ironmaster, Golden Cherry, and Wilderness, and, making all the running, won by a length; four lengths separated second and third. Ironmaster was fourth.

4.0—**THE RATHKEALE PLATE** of 30 sovs. A steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. H. M. Ryan's MISFIRE, a, 10-2 J. Fenton 1
Mr. W. J. Madden's BALLINACURRA BOY, a, 10-9 ....E. Houlihan 2
Mr. J. J. McNamara's Eily O'Connor, a, 11-9 G. Harty 0
Mr. E. Connolly's Maidstown, a, 10-7 ..J. Regan 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—Evens Eily O'Connor, 3 to 1 each agst. MISFIRE and Ballinacurra Boy, 10 to 1 Maidstown.
Misfire made play from Eily O'Connor for a mile, when the latter took command, but fell at the second-last fence, and Misfire won by three-parts of a length. Maidstown was pulled up after two miles.
An objection to Misfire for foul riding was overruled.

4.30—**THE DESMOND CUP**, value 25 sovs. (presented by the Right Hon. the Earl of Dunraven, K.P.), with 25 sovs. (in specie) added, of which the second receives 1 sov. A steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. J. J. Manning's b. g. BALLYMACRORY, by Wavelet's Pride, dam by Perth Medley—Sweet Smoke, 6, 11-12 ....J. Moylan 1
Mr. B. Kirby's JOE MACK, a, 11-12 J. Moloney 2
Mr. G. Hartigan's QUARRY HILL, 4, 10-7 J. Regan 3
Mr. Thos. McCarthy's Old Pallas, a, 11-12 M. McCarthy 0
Mr. W. G. Quaid's Hasty Earl, 6, 11-12 J. Fennell 0
Mr. M. Hayes's Intelligent, a, 11-5 ..P. Parsons 0
(Winner trained by Moss.)
Betting—2 to 1 on BALLYMACRORY, 5 to 1 agst. Joe Mack, 100 to 8 others.
Hasty Earl led for a mile and a half, when Joe Mack came on from Ballymacrory, who challenged in the straight, and won by a length; six lengths separated second and third. Old Pallas was fourth.

SLIGO MEETING.

TUESDAY, MAY 1st.
ORDER OF RUNNING.

Hazelwood Plate	1 30	Stewards' Plate	3 30
Visitors' Plate	2 0	Welter Plate	4 0
Hunt Cup	2 30	Spring Plate	4 30

LIMERICK MEETING.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MAY 2nd and 3rd.
FIRST DAY.

Shannon Plate	2 30	Directors' Plate	4 0
Moy Plate	3 0	Stewards' Plate	4 30
Limerick Plate	3 30	Stand Plate	5 0

SECOND DAY.

City Plate	2 15	Maiden Plate	3 45
Railway Plate	2 45	Welter Plate	4 15
Thomond Plate	3 15	Munster Plate	4 45

LOUTH HUNT AND ARDEE STEEPLECHASES.

FRIDAY, MAY 4th.

Farmers' Plate	2 0	Champion Hunters' Cup	3 45
Louth Hunt Cup	2 30	Louth Handicap	4 15
Maiden Plate	3 0	Mullacurry Plate	4 45

METROPOLITAN (BALDOYLE) MEETING.

SATURDAY, MAY 5th.

Malahide Plate	2 15	Seaside Plate	3 45
Foxhall Plate	2 45	Baldoyle H'chase	4 15
Sutton Plate	3 15	Coolock Plate	4 45

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

The Stewards of the Turf Club have given permission to Messrs. Richard Bell and Samuel Waring to ride under Rule 96 (1), Rules of Racing.

Helmet, Italian Summer and Active Agnes, the property of Mr. John Magee, will in future be trained at the Curragh, by Mr. C. Brabazon.

Eily O'Connor, one of the runners for the Rathkeale Plate at Rathkeale yesterday, fell, and, breaking a leg, had to be destroyed.

Mr. P. Dennis and C. Donnelly, who sustained severe concussion through their falls at Ludlow on Thursday, have regained consciousness at Ludlow Cottage Hospital, and are making favourable progress.

Chester Race Meeting this year will take place on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May 8th, 9th and 10th. For the three days the stakes total over 9,000 sovs. On the opening day the chief event is the Chester Vase of 2,000 sovs. The race for the Chester Cup will take place on Wednesday, and on the concluding day of the meeting the chief events will be the Dee Stakes and the Great Cheshire Stakes of 1,250 sovs.

A number of his friends are organising a testimonial to the well-known Curragh trainer, A. Anthony, who rode the late King Edward's Ambush II. to victory in the Grand National of 1900, and in more recent years trained Troytown, who won that race and the Paris Steeplechase. Anthony is making a slow recovery from a severe illness, which necessitated two operations.

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Bootmaker and Legging Specialist. Polo, Racing, and Hunting Boots made to measure in one week.
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TAXATION OF BETS.

In the hope of evolving an agreed scheme between the racing authorities, the Irish Thoroughbred Breeders' Association and the bookmakers, for the taxation of betting, several proposals have been formulated. A draft scheme by the Breeders' Association has recently been sent to the Turf Club, but that body has not yet had time to consider it, so that the statement in a contemporary to the effect that it had received their approval was premature.

It is announced that a meeting of the bookmakers, including those who control starting price offices and outside layers, will be held in Dublin next week, the time and place of which will be published later.

ANOTHER IRISH COLT WINS.

IMPROVED FORM OF GREEK BACHELOR.

"THE BEST TWO-YEAR-OLD."

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Friday Night.

Lord Queenborough's Irish-bred colt, Greek Bachelor, trained by Mr. Gilpin, won the Tudor Stakes at Sandown this afternoon by a head from the penalised Liverpool winner Star Chamber, with Sir William Cooke's Heliaster another head away, third. Greek Bachelor, who is a son of Bachelor's Double and Mitylene, ran indifferently twice last year, when he was considered to be very backward.

He made a good deal of improvement throughout the winter, and was thought a little time ago to be a good colt. Last week at Newmarket he was beaten easily by Portsoy and Pombal, when he seemed to be tiring in the last furlong.

To-day, however, he ran on very stoutly, and stayed this severe mile with considerable gameness. I am afraid the form does not amount to a great deal, because Star Chamber, who was giving 10lb., is not quite in the front rank. All the same it makes Portsoy look useful, and enhances the Two Thousand Guineas chance of Parth, who is so much the superior of Portsoy.

Writing last night, I suggested that the race might be won by Greek Bachelor. He was always favourite in a market so open that he was returned at odds of 4 to 1 against. Archibald, who rode him, allowed Heliaster to make the running up to the distance, when he headed him. Archibald had by no means an easy ride afterwards, for Heliaster stuck to him grimly, and then Star Chamber, going very strongly, came up. A great race between the three resulted, but Archibald, riding a very powerful finish, just kept Greek Bachelor in front to win by a head from Star Chamber, with Heliaster only another head away, third. It was one of the best exhibitions of jockeyship that the American horseman, Archibald, has given since he came to this country first last year.

STRAITLACE'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

The only other notable incident of the day was the first appearance of what is probably easily the best two-year-old we have seen so far. This is Sir Edward Hulton's Straitlace, a daughter of Son-in-Law and that brilliant mare Stolen Kiss, who ran away with the valuable Sandown Park Produce Stakes. Four others were preferred to her in the market, but, jumping off in front, she made all the running, and won in a hack canter by three lengths, with the favourite, Phalara, third. It was a most decisive performance, and I am sure that this very handsome filly will go on to do even better than this.

Mr. R. C. Dawson won the Twickenham Handicap with Spes, which he owns in partnership with Mr. H. S. Persse. This filly was fancied for several important handicaps last year, which she was in with a light weight. A small boy, however, cannot get to the bottom of her. Here in a welter handicap she had the advantage of strong jockeyship, and showed what she could do. Third to her was the hurdler, Celtic Mist, who was sold out of Philip Behan's stable a few months ago to Mr. C. F. Kenyon.

SANDOWN NATIONAL HUNT RACING TO-DAY.

To-morrow we relapse for a single day into the jumping business, for the entire programme at Sandown is under National Hunt Rules. I expect to see the principal event, the Grand International Steeplechase, won by Lord Woolavington's SOUTHAMPTON. He is meeting Keep Cool on a little worse terms than in the Lancashire Steeplechase at Manchester, but he won that event so very easily that I fully expect to see him repeat his triumph here. Celtic Mist, having run to-day, may miss the Great Sandown Hurdle Handicap, and in this event I expect to see TOMAHAWK returned the winner.

At the Stockton Meeting, under Jockey Club Rules, the best thing of the day is SYNORIX in the Crathorne Plate. Synorix missed an easy engagement this afternoon for this event. It is probable that Jazz Band will win the North Yorkshire Handicap.

GALTEE MORE.

MIDNIGHT WIRE FROM THE COURSE.

FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
SANDOWN PARK, Friday Night.

Duller tells me that his arm is none too sound, and that he may not get up in the saddle to-morrow. If he does he will be satisfied that he is fit to give of his best.

In the way of selections, I think that KNOCKCROGHERY II. will win the first race.

PERICO is a very good tip for St. James's Hurdle.

I have been given to understand that DAYDAWN (nap)—Hogan may ride—is the day's good thing on the card. I know that the horse is well.

REGENT'S PARK is fancied for the Criterion 'Chase.

It would not surprise me to see FLURRY win the Kingston Hurdle.

"FORM" HORSES.

SANDOWN.
2. 0—Triple Blue.
2.30—Poise.
3. 0—Southampton.
3.30—Tomahawk.
4. 0—Dudley.
4.30—Sprig.

STOCKTON.
1.45—Hill Country.
2.15—Desmond House.
2.45—Teressken.
3.15—Packet.
3.45—Orland.
4.15—Synorix.
DOUBLE.—Hill County (nap) and Orland (a Sandown).

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily News:—To-day's best — Orland (nap) (at Stockton) and Teressken.
Daily Mirror:—Double—Jazz Band (at Stockton) and Southampton.
Daily Mail:—Special selection—Boddam. Double—Boddam and Gracious Gift.
Daily Graphic:—Double — Southampton and Golden Sands (at Stockton).
Daily Express:—Double—Firedrake and Southampton. Safety bet—Firedrake.
Daily Chronicle:—Double — Southampton and Orland. "To Beat the Book" — Southampton.
Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Southampton. Double — Southampton and Sprig.

POLO.

ALL IRELAND CLUB.
Practice to-day at 5.15.

SANDOWN PARK

GREEK BACHELOR WINS TUDOR STAKES.

SPES TAKES GUILDFORD HANDICAP.

Fortunately the flat racing at Sandown was favoured with more genial weather yesterday, and the bright sunshine brought out a much larger crowd than on Thursday, who enjoyed what was really capital racing, even if it was not of any great class.

2.0—**CLAYGATE (S.) PLATE** of £200. 1 m. 60 yds.
Capt. Davy's b. c. TELEPATHY, by Tracery—Lottina, 5, 9-4 ....G. Archibald 1
Mr. Alexander's DAMAR, 6, 8-10 ......E. Miall 2
Mr. Cohen's LANDORF, 7, 9-4 ......F. Bullock 3
Also ran—Coriopsis (Beary), Dutchman (V. Smyth), Girvan (Gardner), Fine Gold (Smirke), Greenchesters (Brennan), Air Queen (T. Barber), Gold Coast (Gray), Brother Bill (G. Smith), Castalian (F. Lane), Warrior (L. Butchers), Spivia (H. Leach). (Winner trained by Beatty.)
Betting—11 to 4 agst. Coriopsis, 7 to 2 TELEPATHY, 8 to 1 each agst. Landorf and Girvan, 10 to 1 each Greenchesters and Castalian, 100 to 8 each Dutchman and Brother Bill, 100 to 6 the eight.
Won by a length and a half; a neck. Girvan was fourth.
An objection to the winner for crossing was overruled, and the deposit returned.
The winner was sold to Mr. L. Schaverien for 310 gns.

2.30—**WALTON T.Y.O. (S.) PLATE** of £200. 5 f.
Mr. Whitburn's br. f. DUSKY BELLE, by Brown Prince—Amabel, 8-7 ....M. Beary 1
Mr. Shaw's BILLY BECK, 8-7 ....Donoghue 2
Mr. Short's SUNDAY RAMBLER, 8-10 ....Fox 3
Also ran—Turkey Trot colt (Gardner), Angoni (J. Clark), Miggles colt (A. Burns), Love Oil filly (F. Bullock), Westacre (Elliott), D.D. (H. Beasley). (Winner trained by Cottrill.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. DUSKY BELLE, 3 to 1 Sunday Rambler, 4 to 1 Love Oil filly, 5 to 1 Westacre, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by a length and a half; half a length. Angoni was fourth.
Dusky Belle was sold to Sir E. Edgar for 940 gns.

3.0—**TUDOR THREE Y.O. STAKES** of £15 each, with £500 added. 1 m. 60 yds.
Lord Queenborough's ch. c. GREEK BACHELOR, by Bachelor's Double—Mitylene, 9-0 G. Archibald 1
Sir G. Bullough's STAR CHAMBER, 9-10 C. Elliott 2
Sir W. Cooke's HELIASTER, 9-3 ....Gardner 3
Mr. Field's Rosewing, 9-0 ....J. Childs 0
Lord Howard de Walden's Carbonaro, 9-0 Smyth 0
Mr. Thornton's Trajanus, 9-0 ....F. Bullock 0
Duke of Westminster's Friar, 9-0 ......Donoghue 0
Mr. Tattersall's Angela, 8-11 ....R. Jones 0
Mr. J. de Rothschild's Legend, 9-0 ......Smirke 0
Duke of Portland's Vaudricourt, 9-0 ..M. Beary 0
Mr. Michalinos' Aristea, 8-11 ....Carslake 0
(Winner trained by P. P. Gilpin.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. GREEK BACHELOR, 6 to 1 each Carbonaro, Trajanus, and Friar, 7 to 1 Star Chamber, 15 to 2 Rosewing, 8 to 1 Vaudricourt, 100 to 8 Legend, 20 to 1 any other.
Heliaster settled down in front of Trajanus, Legend, Greek Bachelor, Aristea, Friar, Vaudricourt, Carbonaro, Star Chamber, and Rosewing, last. Legend became second round the bottom turn, but was headed in the straight by Angela, Heliaster, Star Chamber, and Greek Bachelor, the last-named winning a fine race by a head, with a similar distance between second and third. Friar was fourth, Vaudricourt fifth, Trajanus sixth, Aristea seventh, Legend next, Carbonaro ninth, Angela tenth, and Rosewing last throughout.

3.30—**STUD PRODUCE T.Y.O. STAKES** of £21, £200 added. 5 f.
Sir E. Hulton's b. f. STRAITLACE, by Son-in-Law—Stolen Kiss, 8-1 ....C. Elliott 1
Mr. C. Vyner's ULVA FERRY, 8-1 ......C. Parker 2
Lady Nunburnholme's PHALARA, 8-10 J. Childs 3
Also ran—White Hussar (F. Bullock), Quentin Durward (Archibald), Sunday's River (McLachlan), Roman Candle (Donoghue), Eulalia (Gardner), La Bergeronette (W. Griggs), Highcourt (Beary), Greedy Girl f. (J. Brown), Arrowy (Lister), Who Goes Home (G. Smith). (Winner trained by D. Waugh.)
Betting—9 to 2 agst. Phalara, 11 to 2 each High Court, Ulva Ferry and La Bergeronette, 6 to 1 STRAITLACE, 10 to 1 Quentin Durward, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by three lengths; one length. Eulalia was fourth.

4.0—**GUILDFORD HANDICAP** of £400. 1 m.
Mr. R. Dawson's ch. f. SPES, by Corcyra—Espoir Dore, 4, 9-5 ....G. Hulme 1
Mr. A. Gordon's REVIVAL, 4, 8-10..J. Childs 2
Mr. Kenyon's CELTIC MIST, 5, 9-12..Jos. Canty 3
Mr. Barclay's Galway Prince, 4, 9-6..Donoghue 0
Mr. Alexander's Dervish, 5, 9-2..........Vindall 0
Major Cayzer's Wayfarer, 4, 9-0..........Fox 0
Mr. Crowe's Glen Aldred, 4, 8-12......C. Elliott 0
Mr. F. Betson's Croiseur, 4, 8-0......A. Walker 0
(Winner trained by R. Dawson.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. SPES, 9 to 2 Celtic Mist, 5 to 1 Galway Prince, 7 to 1 Revival, 8 to 1 each Glen Aldred and Wayfarer, 100 to 7 any other.
Wayfarer showed the way to Galway Prince, Croiseur, Spes, Revival, Celtic Mist and Glen Aldred, last, for five furlongs. Celtic Mist then went on from Galway Prince, but at the distance Spes challenged, and won by three-parts of a length; half a length separating second and third. Galway Prince was fourth, Croiseur fifth, Glen Aldred next, and Dervish last.

4.30—**ATHLONE HANDICAP** of £4 each, with £300 added. 5 f.
Duke of Westminster's b. h. ALDERSEY, by Alsford—Galore, 6, 9-0 ....B. Carslake *
Mr. J. Benson's b. c. ZOOMP, by Golden Sun—Farcical, 4, 7-12 ....Brennan *
Mr. R. Davison's CLAREMONT, 6, 6-7..James 3
Also ran:—Pretty Dick (Donoghue), Grecian Beauty (Lister), Bon Secour (M. Jones), Blarney Stone (T. Morgan), Joss House (Timmins), Limosin (S. Ingham), Little Witch (J. Sirett), Eaton Maid (G. Richards), Corban (K. Robertson), Harriboy (McLoughlin), Krake (J. Cornell), First Magic (H. Leach).
*Dead-heat. Stakes divided.
(Zoomp trained by Lowe; Aldersey trained by Persse.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. ALDERSEY, 7 to 1 each ZOOMP, Bon Secour and Limosin, 10 to 1 each Pretty Dick and First Magic, 100 to 8 Grecian Beauty, 100 to 6 any other.
Dead-heat; a head. Bon Secour was fourth.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

To-day at Sandown marks the end of sport of any importance under National Hunt Rules, so there will probably be keen rivalry for the spoils, and big fields can be anticipated. The Grand International Steeplechase is, of course, the plum, and some of our best horses over a country are engaged. Of these I like best Southampton, Vico, and Keep Cool. I have a particular liking for the first-named, as, apart from the fact that he is probably the best chaser in England over a park course, he is a comparatively fresh horse, most of the horses engaged having had a hard time all the winter. He was, I believe, hardly at his best when winning at Manchester, and I, therefore, do not think that the 8lb. in favour of Keep Cool should be sufficient to reverse the placings. All the same, the latter is a good horse at his best, and it was a good performance when he ran third to Gerald L. and Forewarned at Gatwick. Vico is more difficult to size up, but he ran in good style at the Grand Military Meeting, and if Southampton is beaten I fancy it will be by Vico. Full selections:—
Pavilion Steeplechase—**St. Endas.**
St. James's Hurdle—**King George.**
Grand International—**Southampton.**
Great Sandown Handicap—**King Pippin.**
Criterion Steeplechase—**Polish Prince.**
Kingston Hurdle—**F. Hartigan's selected.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left.]

2.0—**PAVILION (S.) HANDICAP CHASE** of £200. 2 m.
102 ST. ENDAS (Mr. Whitaker) Whitaker 10 12 7
230 GOVERNOR WOOD (Mr. Weil) W. Nightingall 10 11 5
120 PAVOT (Capt. Powers) ....Rogers 5 11 2
211 TRIPLE BLUE (Mr. Nightingall) W. Nightingall 10 11 1
003 LITTLE ENGLAND (Mr. Giannelli) Wilmot 5 10 10
003 LORD CALLART (Mrs. Bennett) Bennett 10 10 10
121 SOUTHERN LASS (Mr. Dixon) Lines 8 10 5
000 MOON (Mr. Christy) ....Kemp 5 10 0
(The above have arrived.)
100 HELMET (Mr. Magee) ..S. Bennett 8 11 7
012 PROVIDENCE (Mr. Curtis) ......Poole 5 11 6
110 SERBAN (Mr. H. Brown) ..H. Brown 9 11 4
012 JACK BOORE (Mr. Hooley) ......Orwell 7 11 4
000 PRINCE CLIFTON (Mr. Cohen) Hill 10 11 3
003 KNOCKCROGHERY II. (Ld. Londesborough) ....H. Brown 9 11 2
040 SQUARE CUT (Sir H. Bird) Hammond 9 11 1
202 ST. GEORGE II. (Mr. Edge) ......Poole 6 10 12
311 TIM (Mr. Wood) ....Wood 12 10 6
104 IRELAND (Mr. Hartigan) ......Kemp 10 10 6
000 HORNER (Mrs. Gray) ....Private 7 10 5
030 BEAUCOURT (Mr. Reardon) Reardon 8 10 2

2.30—**ST. JAMES'S (S) HURDLE** of £200 2 m.
220 POISE (Capt. Barnett) ....Barnett a 11 7
302 PERICO (Mrs. Hutton) ....Poole 6 11 7
002 PICCOLISKO (Mr. Ioannou) W. Nightingall 6 11 7
101 DUNCHER (Mrs. Russell) ....Bailey 7 11 7
412 FIREDRAKE (Ld. Howard de Walden) T. Leader 4 10 7
(The above have arrived.)
101 KING GEORGE (Mrs. Bennett) Bennett 6 11 7
311 HUONORA (Mrs. Bennett) ....Bennett 7 11 7
432 SEA VOYAGE (Mr. Blythe) ..Bennett 11 11 7
200 LAVENDER KID (Mr. Brown) F. Brown 8 11 7
001 CORNEY GRAIN (Mr. Knowles) Fergusson 7 11 7
230 SPEEN (Mr. Larkin) ....Larkin 8 11 7
ERIS CRAG (Mr. Lavington) ..Private a 11 7
400 BURLY (Mr. Phillips) ....Poole 7 11 7
411 PACIFIST (Capt. Moodie) ......Rogers 9 11 7
021 PRIDE OF MANISTER (Mrs. Stevens) Stevens 10 11 7
321 ST. GEORGE (Mr. Weil) W. Nightingall 7 11 7
100 PROLIFIC (Mr. Wootton) ....Wootton 7 11 7
000 SUNSELLA (Mr. Hall) ....Larkin 5 11 3
231 MANISTER BELLE (Mr. Hogan) Hogan 5 11 3
040 BAC MORE (Mr. Knowles) ..Fergusson 5 11 3
002 WRANGLE (Capt. Wheeler) ......Kirk 5 11 3
404 SODALIS (Mr. Alexander) ......Dale 4 10 7

3.0—**GRAND INTERNATIONAL HANDICAP CHASE** of £500. 3½ m.
001 SOUTHAMPTON (Ld. Woolavington) Gore 7 12 7
020 SHAUN SPADAH (Sir M. McAlpine) Poole 12 11 13
301 VICO (Mrs. Putnam) ....Poole 10 11 11
211 WHITE SURREY (Sir H. Meux) F. Hunt 11 11 10
002 HALSTON (Maj. Dixon) ....Gore 11 11 4
030 TAFFYTUS (Mr. Bulteel) ..T. Leader 10 10 6
000 TEMPLEBAR (Mr. Smith) Fitzgerald 9 9 13
(The above have arrived.)
130 HABTON (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 7 12 1
200 FOREWARNED (Mr. Bankier) Hastings 8 11 10
003 DAYDAWN (Baron F. de Tuyll) F. Hartigan 10 11 5
0 MARTIN FITZ (Mr. Kenyon) ....Dodd 7 11 5
033 KEEP COOL (Mr. Midwood) Whitaker 8 11 1
000 LIBRETTO (Mr. Cochran) ..Whitaker 8 10 8
311 TARA KING (Col. Croft) ..Nicholson 9 10 2
122 COINER (Mr. Hogan) ....Hogan 8 10 1
311 MILLIGAN (Mr. Green) ....Young 10 9 12

3.30—**GREAT SANDOWN HANDICAP HUDLE** of £400. 2 m.
132 CELTIC MIST (Mr. Kenyon) O. Davis 5 12 3
022 FLAMING SWORD (Lady Watts) F. Hunt 5 12 1
131 TOMAHAWK (Mr. Weil) W. Nightingall 5 11 13
020 HEROD PHILIP (Capt. Montagu) F. Hartigan 6 11 13
340 DORADO (Mr. Hutton) ....Poole 7 11 13
110 KING PIPPIN (Mrs. Putnam) ..Poole 4 11 11
203 ROYAL HIGHNESS (Ld. Lonsdale) Gore 5 11 10
004 ZARANE (Mr. Coltman) ....Butchers 9 11 10
102 BARRACKTON LAD (Mr. O'Callaghan) ....Bennett 4 11 4
(The above have arrived.)
230 MORGANATIC MARRIAGE (Mrs. Heybourn) ....J. Bell 6 12 7
024 LUKESTON (Mr. Tattersall) H. Harrison 10 12 0
111 HYMIR (Mr. Milnes) ....A. Hogan 6 12 0
001 BEYROB (Mrs. Blain) ....Spittle 7 11 13
111 LONE HAND (Mr. Clarke) ....Private 5 11 6
400 TEDNEY (Mr. Walker) ......Hastings 5 11 5
014 REDHILL (Mr. Thompson) F. Hartigan 4 11 5
021 LE CELLIER (Mr. Blenkiron) Nightingall 4 11 4
112 SANS PECHE (Mr. Saunders) Clement 4 11 4
111 BODDAM (Mr. Tennent) ......Turner 4 11 4
201 SIMON'S LIGHT (Mrs. Jones) Orbell 4 11 3
200 SQUIRE ERLEGH (Mrs. Russell) H. Leader 5 10 13

4.0—**CRITERION (AMATEURS) HANDICAP CHASE** of £200. 2½ m.
301 VICO (Mrs. Putnam) ....Poole 10 13 2
020 SHAUN SPADAH (Sir M. McAlpine) Poole 12 13 0
103 HAWKER (Mr. Bennett) ....Wootton 9 12 10
011 GRACIOUS GIFT (Mr. Gresson) F. Hartigan 8 11 13
000 TEST MATCH (Mrs. Baker) ..Martin 5 11 7
120 SAINT IV. (Mr. Warner) ....Bletsoe a 11 1
00 HERMOCLES (Mr. Michalinos) F. Hunt 4 10 9
(The above have arrived.)
222 LOCH ALLEN (Capt. Vivian) ..Gore 12 12 4
010 HEDU (Ld. Londesborough) H. Brown 12 12 3
411 PACIFIST (Capt. Moodie) ......Rogers 9 12 3
111 DUDLEY (Lord Londesborough) H. Brown 9 12 3
022 POLISH PRINCE (Mrs. Moloney) Ireland 7 11 13
300 COMMAND (Mr. Knowles) ..Knowles 9 11 12
123 HUGH O'NEILL (Capt. Vivian) Gore 6 11 11
001 REGENT'S PARK (Mr. H. Hirst) Tabor 5 11 10
001 GANZEY (Mr. Sullivan) ......Whitaker 9 11 9
301 FAR AND AWAY (Mr. Knight) Knight 7 11 8
234 CARROLSTOWN (Mr. McDonnell) Bennett 7 11 7
211 WHITE COCKADE (Mr. Wood) Wood 10 11 7
040 COMMANDER SMITH (Sir R. Liddell) Woodland 8 11 7
100 MOUSE II. (Sir E. Tate) ....Gardner 11 11 5
000 PIRNWINDER (Mr. Hartigan) Kemp 7 11 5
032 COSAQUE (Mr. Lloyd) ......Jackson 8 11 4
110 SHEEPSHEAD (Capt. Murland) S. Bennett 8 11 3
110 SERBAN (Mr. H. Brown) ..H. Brown 9 11 2
210 GEM (Mrs. Bennett) ....Bennett 7 11 2
000 PRINCE CLIFTON (Mr. Cohen) Hill 10 11 1
002 SILENT SANDS (Mr. Sanday) Sanday 9 11 1
000 PORTMORE (Capt. Lowenstein) Hastings 8 11 1
220 MARCHESI (Mr. Barry) ......Rogers 8 11 0
021 ROCKMEADOW (Mr. Creed) ....Kirk 5 10 13
330 MAROOGLASS (Mr. Bellville) Poole 6 10 10
202 ST. GEORGE II. (Mr. Edge) Poole 6 10 10
032 CLIMBER (Mr. Gordon) ......Gordon 7 10 9
000 KINCRAIG (Mr. Baker) ....Martin 7 10 9
000 DUNKERIN (Mr. Nash) ......Private 12 10 9

4.30—**KINGSTON HANDICAP HURDLE** of £200. 2 m. 5 f.
112 SPRIG (Mrs. Partridge) ....T. Leader 6 11 8
220 POISE (Capt. Barnett) ....Barnett a 10 13
321 ST. GEORGE (Mr. Weil) ....Poole 7 10 13
023 THARROS (Mr. Michalinos) ..F. Hunt 4 10 11
000 DEVONPORT (Mr. Pole) ..F. Hartigan 8 10 7
(The above have arrived).
011 KIRKHARLE (Mr. Straker) F. Hartigan 8 12 9
220 GOOD POINTS (Mrs. Bennett) Bennett 8 12 5
433 SEA VOYAGE (Mr. Blythe) ..Bennett 11 11 7
KILLESHER (Mr. Dixon) ....Hastings a 11 4
030 DINAH MORRIS (Sir E. Wills) De Winton a 11 0
421 RATHCORE (Mr. Ivall) ......Bennett 9 10 13
000 POTHEEN (Lord Londesborough) H. Brown 8 10 7
400 SHOOTING STAR (Mr. Stratton) Stratton 8 10 6
002 DINIA (Capt. Hastings) ....Butchers 5 10 5
044 RANTER (Mr. Larkin) ....Larkin 7 10 4
042 LADY CHARITY (Mr. Dollar) Fitzgerald 6 10 2
042 WESTVIEW (Mr. Turner) ....Turner 5 10 2
000 FURIA (Sir E. Tate) ....Gardner 8 10 1
000 LADY WAVELET (Mr. Kenyon) McKenna 9 10 0
000 FLURRY (Mr. Stratton) ......Stratton 4 10 0

GAELIC PASTIMES.

(BY PAT'O.)

Mayo are coming up in great strength to-morrow. They have a full team, including O'Beirne and Dr. Mongey. Mayo are very jealous of the All Ireland title. Tipperary stands between them and Dublin for the final. At the moment I consider Tipperary's representation a poor one, but Tipperary can put up a good game, however represented. The match will be a good one, and the winners of to-morrow's contest will earn their representation in the final trial.

To-day we shall have a pair of good games. Terenure College meet St. Enda's at 1.45 in junior hurling, and later (3 p.m.) we shall have the meeting of Belcamp and Blackrock at Croke Park. Here we have the medium of right good competition.

The entrance of Blackrock College into serious hurling competition is very important. They have a great record in the Rugby code, and their initiation into Gaelic pastimes is welcome. We shall watch Blackrock's progress with considerable interest, and congratulate the College on the initial successes of their team this week in beating Terenure and Dublin University College teams.

Full programmes at St. James's Park, Templeogue, and Phœnix Park fill the eye in School League and Senior Leagues.

The juniors, too, are busy, but, perhaps, the most interesting meeting scheduled is that of Leinster Colleges' pick and Schools' League selection. This game is fixed for Croke Park on May 10th.

The Schools' League have a big selection, and their team cannot fail to set up considerable opposition, but Colleges can call together a powerful team between Newbridge, Mullingar, Belcamp, and Terenure. This game on May 12th will be a memorable one.

Last week we had some good games down South. In the College Championship, Presentation beat Farranferris in a fast game. The winners could meet the Leinster winners in a good match, and I learn the meeting is not far removed.

Bingham's running reminds many athletes of the greatness of Irish long-distance runners in the past. He is a long-distance man of unusual talent. His time for ten miles stamps him with the best runners we have produced. He finished fresh enough to run a Marathon. He has an easy style, and could continue running for many more laps. We shall be interested in his future progress.

The National Army competitions are hot upon us. Command and battalions are organising. Before the end of the summer we shall have good competition, and mayhap produce an international winner or two.

FITZGIBBON CUP.

The first of the inter-University matches in the Fitzgibbon Cup was played at South Park, Galway, yesterday, between Galway and Cork, and resulted in a win for Cork by 3 points. The playing pitch was in excellent order, and a good crowd attended. At half-time Cork led by a goal and 2 points to 1 point. Result:—
Cork—1 goal 6 points.
Galway—1 goal 3 points.

RUGBY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Constitution v. Garryowen. (Final Munster Senior Cup.) Cork.
G.S. and W. v. I.R.C.H. and D. and S.E.R. (Final Goulding Cup.) Referee—Mr. W. H. Acton. Park avenue, 3.30.
Final Boys' Brigade Cup. Lansdowne road.

BOYS' BRIGADE COMPETITION.

The final tie of this competition will be played at Donnybrook to-day, at 3.30. The teams are—5th Company (Rathmines and Rathgar) and 32nd Company (Clontarf).

STOCKTON.

YESTERDAY'S RETURN.

FORERUNNER SECURES THE SPRING HANDICAP.

2.0—**EAGLESCLIFFE T.Y.O. (S.) PLATE**, 150 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. F. Curzon's br. g. MARK SABRE, by Ultimus—Bosey, 8-6 ....Whalley 1
Mr. W. Dixon's SANTONINE G., 8-6 E. Wheatley 2
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's PAINTBOX, 8-9 ..Thwaites 3
Also ran—Wallpaper (Broady), Imari (J. Taylor), Little Fancy (Bailey), Latest Fashion (P. Jones), Waving Corn (D. Taylor). (Winner trained by Watts.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. MARK SABRE, 2 to 1 Santonine gelding, 6 to 1 Wallpaper, 7 to 1 Imari, 8 to 1 Paintbox, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by two lengths; three lengths.
The winner was sold to Mr. J. Jenkins for 210 gns.

2.30—**ROSEBERY THREE-YEAR-OLD PLATE**, £200. 1 m.
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's b. g. WINDSWEPT, by Rochester—Noturnia, 9-2 ....J. Thwaites 1
Mr. H. King's CHICOT, 9-5 ....J. Leach 2
Lord Fitzwilliam's HOUSE OF KEYS, 8-9 Jelliss 3
Also ran—Cyrenely (J. Anderson), Kate Hardcastle (P. Jones), Rosemary (T. Weston), Rifle Fire (R. Crisp), Scorpio (J. Clancy), Vonna (Ledson). (Winner trained by Bazley.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Chicot, 5 to 2 WINDSWEPT, 6 to 1 House of Keys, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by half a length; a length.

3.0—**SOUTH DURHAM T.Y.O. PLATE** of £200. 5 f.
Mr. H. R. King's b. c. GYROSCOPE, by St. Girons—Carlings, 8-9 ....J. Leach 1
Mr. D. Goold's SILVER ISLAND, 8-9..H. Wragg 2
Mr. Balmforth's LADY BLINK, 8-6 ......R. Crisp 3
Also ran—Dorm (Botsford), Fairfield Swell (J. Ledson), Preface (Girdley), Hunting Morn (J. Thwaites), Dope (J. Clancy). (Winner trained by Leach, jun.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. GYROSCOPE, 3 to 1 Silver Island, 7 to 2 Lady Blink, 6 to 1 Hunting Morn, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by three lengths; three-quarters of a length.

3.30—**STOCKTON SPRING HANDICAP**, £500. 1¼ m.
Mr. Clark's b. h. FORERUNNER, by Chaucer—Vaucluse, 5, 8-3 ....J. Ledson 1
Lt.-Col. Hennah's CORBRIDGE, 4, 7-2 E. Crickmere 2
Mrs. Scott's WEATHERTIDE, a, 8-0 ......Wragg 3
Mr. T. Bolton's Glorioso, 5, 8-9 ......A. Cooper 0
Mr. H. Dickson's Steamer, 6, 8-4 ......J. Brooks 0
Mr. C. B. Read's Yokel, 6, 8-3 ....R. Crisp 0
Mr. Botterill's Snow Crest, a, 8-3 ......P. Jones 0
Mr. Pickles' Hidden Gun, 4, 7-11 ......J. Clancy 0
Mr. H. Tait's Woodrow, 6, 7-9 ....T. Weston 0
Mr. J. Harvie's Quilp, 6, 7-8 ....Walsh 0
Mr. W. Black's Jacksdale, a, 7-2 ......D. Gordon 0
Sir G. Renwick's Antranik, 4, 7-0 ...J. Bensley 0
(Winner trained by Peacock.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. Steamer, 3 to 1 Corbridge, 7 to 1 Antranik, 10 to 1 each FORERUNNER and Quilp, 100 to 8 any other.
Weathertide showed the way to Forerunner, Steamer, Quilp, Snow Crest, and Corbridge, with Glorioso a long way last. After going half a mile Quilp took second place; but well into the straight Forerunner came through, and holding off Corbridge, won by half a length; a head between second and third. Steamer was fourth, Quilp fifth, Jacksdale sixth, Antranik seventh, and Snow Crest last.

4.0—**NEWPORT HANDICAP (S.)**, £150. 6 f.
Mr. Greenwood's b. f. VENETIAN ROSE, by Rivoli—Venice, 3, 7-6 ....McGuigan 1
Mr. Goodman's PIERCING NOTE, 3, 8-5 G. Walsh 2
Mr. H. Golightly's CLARA B., 5, 8-0 ......Broady 3
Also ran:—Pere la Cerise (J. Taylor), Casino (D. Taylor), Galloping Slav (T. Thwaites), Orange Prince (R. Crisp), Spartleton (D. Gordon), Joanfax (Brown), Exmoor Bill (Cain), Green Path (J. Clancy), San Etefano (Ramsden), Fulneck (J. Beasley), Forceful (F. Taylor). (Winner trained by Moss.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. VENETIAN ROSE, 6 to 1 each Green Path and Fulneck, 7 to 1 Galloping Slav, 10 to 1 Piercing Note, 100 to 8 Clara B., 100 to 7 any other.
Won by three-quarters of a length; a length and a half.
The winner was bought in for 170 gns.

4.30—**HARTBURN HANDICAP** of £200. 5 f.
Mr. R. Smith's b. h. HIGH SOCIETY, by Amadis—Highstepper, 7, 8-1 ....T. Weston 1
Sir G. Renwick's WILLOW PATTERN, 4, 8-3 Ledson 2
Lord Durham's SURCOAT, 6, 9-12 ......Whalley 3
Also ran:—D'Amade (Wragg), Prude's Fall (Thwaites), Sun Orb (J. Leach), Gleneskaki (D. Masters), Invisible (S. Walsh), Sungnard (T. Jones), Masterpiece (Fox), Glitter (F. Driscoll), Benefice (J. Beasley), Sarenella (Stanton), Podolia (Gicquil). (Winner trained by Anderson.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Surcoat, 6 to 1 each HIGH SOCIETY and Benefice, 10 to 1 Pride's Fall, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by two lengths; three lengths.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The fixture concludes to-day, when the chief item will be the North Yorkshire Handicap, worth 400 sovs. This should produce a very interesting race, and the winner will want some finding. However, I shall stick to Lord Durham's colours, and expect that his representative, Teresken, will prove capable of dealing successfully with the whole opposition. Selections:—
Bishopstown Selling—**Maxi.**
Wolviston Welter—**Smoke Screen.**
North Yorkshire Handicap—**Teresken.**
Carlton Plate—**Night Bell.**
Fairfield Plate—**Wyre Forest.**
Crathorne Plate—**Synorix.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left.]

1.45—**BISHOPSTON (S) PLATE** of £150. 1 m.
200 HILL COUNTRY (Mr. Layton) R. J. Colling 5 9 3
000 SUN CURE (Mr. Hall) ......McCormack 4 9 0
000 SPARTLETON (Mrs. Morrison) Private 4 9 0
000 MAXI (Mr. Goddard) ....Hamshaw 4 8 11
000 FULNECK (Mr. Hartley) ...O'Sullivan 3 7 6
200 GREY LADY (Lt.-Col. Hopkins) R. W. Colling 3 7 5
333 RUSTLER (Mr. Lines) ....Lines 3 7 5
(The above have arrived.)
032 KENNYTHORPE (Mr. Bowman) Burns 6 9 0
000 BIDEFORD (Mr. Brown) G. Armstrong 6 9 0
000 VALENTINE VOX (Mr. Goodman) Lund 6 9 0
000 MASTER SHEPPARD (Capt. Lord Menzies) 5 9 0
034 ARDSCULL (Mr. McGuigan) McGuigan 6 9 0
000 MAYFLY (Mr. Pickles) ....Archer 6 9 0
000 DAYLIGHT SAVING (Mrs. Renwick) W. Renwick 7 9 0
211 DOON STAR (Mr. Rose) ....Lund 6 9 0
000 MORE RAIN (Mr. Rose) ....Lund 12 9 0
440 PIVOTAL (Mr. Thomson) ....J. Renwick 6 9 0
003 TOMMY LONG (Mr. Greenwood) Moss 4 8 11
000 HOO (Mr. Smith) ....Flynn 5 8 10
000 JUDO (Mr. Greenwood) ....Moss 4 8 4
040 LITTLE BUFFET (Mr. Rexton) J. Renwick 4 8 4
404 ASCHAM (Capt. Angler) ....Angler 3 7 8
041 MUNSTER'S PRIDE (Mr. Hatt) Private 3 7 8
1 SIXTY-FOUR (Mr. Rhodes) ......Rhodes 3 7 8
00 NAUGHTY BETTY (Traitress f.) (Mr. G. Smith) ....Drake 3 7 5

2.15—**WOLVISTON HANDICAP** of £200. 6 f.
400 INDULGENCE (Lord Durham)....Peck 4 10 0
020 CORTONA (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 4 9 9
000 SMOKE SCREEN (Lord Fitzwilliam) Dundas 4 8 10
120 GALLOPING SLAV (Sir G. Renwick) J. Renwick 5 8 1
000 LITTLE TRAITRESS (Mr. Smith) Drake 5 8 11
000 SPARTLETON (Mrs. Morrison) Private 4 7 10
(The above have arrived.)
321 HUNTING SONG (Mr. Miller) ....Earl 4 9 12
000 LEMSTAR (Mr. Kenyon) ....Bazley 5 9 7
400 HIS EXCELLENCY (Mrs. Platt) Beatty 4 9 6
301 DESMOND HOUSE (Mr. Warner) Angler 6 9 3
004 PHALANX (Mr. Scott) ....A. Scott 5 9 2
000 MOUNT FLORIDA (Mr. M'Lean) M'Guigan 5 9 2
032 KING WILLOW (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 4 9 3
011 ROYAL HUSSAR (12lb. ex.) (Mr. Cottrill) Cottrill 7 9 0
100 UNEXPECTED (Mr. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 4 9 0
040 WOOLLEY BRIDGE (Mr. H. Rhodes) Coldbeck 4 8 13
000 KNOCKANOUR (Mr. Cogan) ......Earl 5 8 12
011 WELL SHOT (Mr. Davidson) Cottrill 3 8 10
000 CORBAN (Lord D'Abernon) ....Lambton 5 8 7
000 KILNWICK (Capt. Whitworth)..Archer 4 8 7
000 GLEN FYNE (Mr. Green) ....Green 4 8 4
000 HILLTHORPE (Mr. Hartley) O'Sullivan 3 8 3
104 PASTELLA (Mrs. M'Laughlin) Burns 3 8 3
000 ROI DU CIEL (Mr. Goold) ....Archer 4 8 2
250 SCAMANDER (Mr. Dugdale) ....Peacock 4 8 2
003 HOME STAR (Lt.-Col. Hopkins) R. W. Colling 3 8 1
000 ORMEROD (Mr. Picken) ......Golightly 5 8 1
000 SUNNY SQUARE (Mr. Bell) ......Pope 4 7 12
013 BENEDICK (Mr. Botterill) ......Botterill 4 7 11
000 WALLSEND (Mr. Simpson) ..M'Guigan 3 7 8
000 DUNIN (Mr. Scott) ....A. Scott 3 7 7

2.45—**NORTH YORKSHIRE HANDICAP** of £400. 1 m.
400 TERESSKEN (Lord Durham)......Peck 5 8 7
020 CORTONA (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 4 8 3
000 FELKINGTON (Mr. Watts) Peacock 5 7 12
004 VAIN SIMON (Mr. Glover) Armstrong 5 7 3
000 SUN CURE (Mr. Hall) ....McCormack 4 6 12
003 ANTRANIK (Sir G. Renwick) J. Renwick 4 6 11
000 ROSE BRIDGE (Mr. Smith) ......Drake 4 6 7
(The above have arrived.)
000 EXPRESS DELIVERY (Lord Barnby) Morris 4 9 8
100 PRECIOUS (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 5 8 8
020 GOLDENDALE (Lord Allendale) E. Jarvis 5 8 5
021 SILVER BAND (Captain Wilson) J. Renwick 4 8 6
302 DRAGOON (Mr. Clark) ....Peacock 4 8 5
020 WERWOLF (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 4 7 12
102 JAZZ BAND (Mr. Scott) ......A. Scott 4 7 12
040 JOHNNY ROEBUCK (Mr. Brock) Copeland 6 7 11
200 PICCADILLY (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 4 7 11
102 GOLLY EYES (Mr. Pole) F. Hartigan 9 7 10
240 ENVOY (Mr. H. Brown) ....H. Brown 6 7 9
111 MOCKING BIRD (Mr. Wyllie) Wyllie 4 7 9
0 GOLDEN DUKE (Mr. Richardson) Private 4 7 6
000 POLEMBERG (Lord Lonsdale) Armstrong 4 7 6
400 INDIAN GAUZE (Mr. Dick) Beaumont 6 7 5
000 BOLD KNIGHT (Mr. Kenyon) Bazley 4 7 5
500 SHADY LAKE (Sir E. Hoyle) Armstrong 4 7 1
000 VALENTINE VOX (Mr. Goodman) Lund 6 7 1
000 BIDEFORD (Mr. Brown) G. Armstrong 6 6 12
221 BE A LAD (Mr. Scott) ....A. Scott 5 6 12
003 NUMA (Mr. Tuffy) ....McCall 6 6 11
000 VILLAGE LAD (Mr. Bolton) Botterill - 6 10

3.15—**CARLTON T.Y.O. (S.) PLATE** of £150 5 f.
0 NIGHT BELL F. (Mr. W. Dixon) ......Lines 8 6
MINLEY F. (Lord Harewood) ..C. Leader 8 6
23 GOLDEN SANDS (Mr. Hoyle) ....Reeder 8 6
(The above have arrived.)
COMBINED C. (Mr. Fattorini) ..Private 8 9
4 REX FRHIN (Capt. Angler) ......Angler 8 6
0 VINEYARD (Mr. Beer) ......Leach, jun. 8 6
0 LOUISE (Mr. Beer) ......Leach, jun. 8 6
0 LITZ (Lt.-Col. Birkin) ....Leach 8 6
00 LITTLE RED BAT (Mr. Bolton) ..Botterill 8 6
CASE HARDENED (Mr. Egerton) Armstrong 8 6
0 SHUT EYE (Mr. Jenkins) ....Archer 8 6
04 PACKET (Mr. Kenyon) ....Bazley 8 6
40 CAIRNSMORE (Mr. McGuigan) McGuigan 8 6
00 PHIBISHER (Mr. Pickles) ....Archer 8 6
DARNHOLME (Mrs. Renwick) J. Renwick 8 6
PEELWELL (Capt. Rogerson) J. Renwick 8 6
00 LOLO (Loo Bridge f.) (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 8 6

3.45—**FAIRFIELD T.Y.O. PLATE** of £200. 5 f.
1 ORLAND (Mr. Dickson) ....Bintoul 9 0
4 WYRE FOREST (Mr. King) ....Leach, jun. 8 12
0 PHANTOM HARRY (Sir R. Liddell) Peacock 8 12
CARINA C. (Mr. Sadler, jun.) A. Sadler, jun. 8 12
0 RUNAMINE F. (Ld. Barnby) ....Peacock 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
14 THEOLOGY (Mr. Scott) ....A. Scott 9 3
HAYMOUNT (Mr. B. Irving) ......Armstrong 8 12
0 HOLY TERROR (Mr. Bolton) ......Botterill 8 12
LIGHT CAVALRY (Mr. Clark) ......Peacock 8 12
MOT HALL (Mr. Coutage) ..G. Armstrong 8 12
WINDELL TWIG (Mr. Picken) ......Gunter 8 12
KEEP IT DARK (Capt. J. Renwick) J. Renwick 8 12
0 DUNSMOOR (Maj. Renwick) ..W. Renwick 8 12
ENTRIEVE (Mr. Scott) ....Scott 8 12
MAPLE COPSE F. (Lt.-Col. Birkin) Leach 8 12
LA SAUTERELLE F. (Mr. G. Dick) Beaumont 8 9
MYRTILLA (Ld. Durham) ....Peck 8 9
CASE HARDENED (Mr. Egerton) Armstrong 8 9
BATORA F. (Sir E. Hoyle) ....Armstrong 8 9
LOTUS LAND (Mr. Kenyon) ....Bazley 8 9
00 CHERRY BRIDGE (Mr. Marshall) Morris 8 9
0 SCABBARD (Mr. Morris) ....Morris 8 9
MARKETABLE (Mr. Peacock) ......Peacock 8 9
00 MISS NELL (Mr. Pickles) ....Archer 8 9
DARNHOLME (Mrs. Renwick) J. Renwick 8 9
JUST ONE (Capt. Renwick) ....J. Renwick 8 9
BECKCILLA (Mr. Smith) ....Anderson 8 9
ZAIRA (Capt. Wilson) ....J. Renwick 8 9
3 LADY HEREFORD (Ld. Zetland) ...Dundas 8 9

4.15—**CRATHORNE PLATE** of £250. 1¼ m.
021 MONK OF BLYTH (Lord Barnby) Peacock 3 8 3
022 GIANFORTE (Ld. Harewood) C. Leader 3 7 7
020 SYNORIX (Mr. Ball) ......Sadler, jun. 3 7 7
000 CYRENELY (Mr. Smith)......Anderson 3 7 7
000 COTTINGHAM (Mr. Sykes) ......Drake 3 7 7
(The above have arrived.)
004 PHALANX (Mr. Scott) ......A. Scott 5 9 2
000 HIGHCLIFFE (Mr. Smith)......Flynn 4 9 0
400 GERION (Mr. Goold) ....Archer 4 8 11
301 GEISHA GIRL (Mr. Kenyon) ....Bazley 4 9 7
000 WINIFRED PRICE (Sir G. Renwick) W. Renwick 4 8 11
042 ORNAMENTATION (Lord Lonsdale) Armstrong 3 7 7
304 WEST GREEN (Mr. Pickles)....Archer 3 7 7
444 BLACK FOREST (Mr. Beer) Leach, jun. 3 7 4
000 SCRATCH MA BACK (Methyminis g.) (Mr. Burns) ....Burns 3 7 4
CAPTIVITY (Mr. Darling)..S. Darling 3 7 4
000 STAUNCH LASSIE (Mr. Green) Edwards 3 7 4
000 DREAM GIRL (Mr. Scott)....A. Scott 3 7 4
000 JUDITH O'MALLEY (Mr. Walker) F. Hartigan 3 7 4

SCRATCHINGS.—Bishopton Plate—Marcopolis. Carlton T.-Y.-O.—Queer Kate filly.

LUDLOW.

YESTERDAY'S RETURN.

1.30—**NOVICES STEEPLECHASE**, £100. 2 m.
Mr. J. Barry's b. g. MARCHESI, by Marajax—Italian Opera, a, 12-0 ....Major Doyle 1
Mr. A. Worthington's BRIGHT ORB, 5, 11-7 R. Burford 2
Sir C. Frederick's DICK KNIGHT, a, 12-0 F. Brookes 3
Also ran—Gipsy Anne (R. Morgan), Ilston Cross (J. H. Goswell), Edena Greena (F. Mason), Knight of the Mint (W. Gurney), Nicki (S. Jones), Red Splash (F. B. Rees). (Winner trained by D. Rogers.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Red Splash, 3 to 1 MARCHESI, 6 to 1 Gipsy Anne, 8 to 1 each Dick Knight and Bright Orb, 100 to 8 others.
Won by two lengths; a bad third.

2.0—**CAYNHAM HURDLE HANDICAP (S.)**, £100. 2 m.
Mr. G. Reed's b. g. SIMON'S GLORY, by Simonson—Jinker, a, 11-12 ......F. Brookes 1
Mrs. A. Wheeler's BLUE BALL, 4, 11-0 J. Hogan, jun. 2
Mr. H. Brown's O'FLYN, a, 10-11 ......Owner 3
Also ran—False Report (I. Anthony), Black Magic (R. Burford), Little Courtier (G. Wall), Honeysuckle (J. R. Anthony), Olton's Beauty (H. Cheshire), Marie Marco (J. Whelehan), Stream (E. Davey), Snow Man (Mr. E. B. McMorran), General (M. Tigue), Guiseley (Major Doyle), Dhoti (M. Smith), La Voile (J. Casey). (Winner trained by R. Payne).
Betting—Evens Honeysuckle, 7 to 1 each agst. SIMON'S GLORY and Blue Ball, 10 to 1 others.
Won by a short head.
The winner was bought in for 120 guineas.

2.30—**WREKIN STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP**, £170. 3½ m.
Mr. G. Sanday's ch. g. JIMMU, by Santoi—Queen Royal, a, 12-7 ....F. Mason 1
Mr. W. Needham's CASTLE IN SPAIN, a, 11-6 G. Smith 2
Captain Brinckman's GREENOGUE, a, 11-4 M. Tighe 3
Also ran—Snipe's Bridge (Major Doyle), Gardenrath (J. H. Goswell), Battle Royal (G. Wall), The Sheriff (A. Escott), Silent Sands (Mr. Blair), Condor (F. Brookes), King's Favourite (S. Jones), Hazel Dawn (F. B. Rees). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. The Sheriff, 4 to 1 Greenogue, 6 to 1 Castle in Spain, 8 to 1 JIMMU, 10 to 1 Snipe's Bridge, 100 to 8 others.
Won by a neck; three lengths.

3.0—**SHROPSHIRE HURDLE RACE**, £300. 2 m.
Sir R. Jardine's ch. c. WEST COUNTRYMAN, by Polymelus—Merry Maiden, 5, 12-3 Wootton 1
Lord Wavertree's RUNG HO, 4, 11-3 ..J. Mason 2
Mr. T. Bolton's HEREFORD LAD, 4, 10-7 A. Waudby 3
Also ran—Anarchist (J. Hogan), Earn's Glen (J. Anthony), Foxhound (J. H. Goswell). (Winner trained by Coulthwaite.)
Betting—5 to 2 on WEST COUNTRYMAN, 7 to 1 each agst. Rung Ho and Hereford Lad, 100 to 8 others.
Won by a length; a short head.

3.30—**HUNTERS' 'CHASE H'CAP** of £100. 3 m.
Lord Londesborough's br. h. ASHWOOD, by Flying Hackle—Maze of Mirrors, a, 11-10 Mr. H. Brown 1
Mr. G. Sanday's BRUTUS III., a, 11-13 Mr. Blair 2
Major Huntington's SCURRY HILL, a, 10-6 F. Rees 3
Also ran—Bagman (Rhodes), Cash Box (G. Wall), Cock Sparrow (E. Morgan), Chang (Major Doyle), The Mighty Atom (Col. Collis), Upper Rathduff (Escott). (Winner trained by H. Brown.)
Betting—4 to 1 each agst. ASHWOOD, Scurry Hill, and Upper Rathduff, 6 to 1 each Cash Box and Chang, 7 to 1 Brutus III., 10 to 1 any other.
Won by four lengths; same.

4.0—**MODERATE HURDLE H'CAP**, £100. 2 m.
Mrs. Wright's GRECIAN WATERS, 6, 11-12 L. Bunn 1
Mr. C. Kenyon's SUCCESSOR, a, 11-2 A. Smyth 2
Mr. G. Lawrence's HOPEFUL II., a, 10-10 Mr. R. Phillips 3
Also ran:—Wilson (Mr. Blair), Fiat (F. Rhodes), Polynia (J. R. Anthony), Bilsthorpe (M. Smith), Nellie Gough (F. Wootton), Shikar (G. Smith), Will Swing (J. Gray), Clincher (T. Leader), Red Spinner (J. H. Goswell). (Winner trained by Bunn.)
Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Shikar and Polynia, 5 to 1 Nellie Gough, 7 to 1 each Will Swing and Red Spinner, 8 to 1 each Successor and Fiat, 20 to 1 GRECIAN WATERS or any other.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWMARKET MEETING.
One Thousand Guineas—Drum Lassie, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Somerville Stakes—Miss Primrose.
Newmarket Stakes—Mixed Double.
March Stakes—Craiganower.
MISCELLANEOUS.
All engagements in Mrs. Bazley's name—King Carmelite.
Folkestone engagements, April 30, and Lingfield engagements, May 1—Tender Boy.

BILLIARDS.

PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

SMITH v. FALKINER.

At Holborn, London, yesterday, Smith left off over 7,000 points ahead of Falkiner. His best break was 429 (282 being off the red). Closing scores:—Smith, 14,667; Falkiner, 7,644.

LAWN TENNIS.

PERCY CLUB.

The special general meeting will be held to-day, as already notified, but owing to the unfavourable weather there will be no play until May 5th.

EAST OF IRELAND TOURNAMENT.

The above Tournament will be held on the grounds of Mount Temple Lawn Tennis Club, Sunbury Gardens, Dublin, commencing Whit Monday, 21st May, and during the week. Three Open Championships and five Handicap Events. Nine Grass Courts. For entry forms apply to
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CRICKET.

FIXTURES FOR TO-DAY.

Richmond v. Merrion. Grangegorman.
Mr. D. J. Murphy's XI. v. Pembroke. Sydney Parade, 2.30.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CLUB.

General meeting on Monday in Earlsfort terrace at 8 p.m. Members and old members are requested to attend.

PEMBROKE CLUB.

A general meeting will be held in the Pavilion at 7.30 p.m. this evening.

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GOLF.

MORAN CUP.

W. HOLLEY AND M. M'DERMOTT IN THE FINAL.

As a result of the penultimate stage of the Moran Memorial Cup competition played yesterday over the Castle Links, Rathfarnham, W. Holley, the local professional, and M. M'Dermott, who is attached to the Hermitage Club, qualified for the final, which will be played to-day over 36 holes, starting at 11 o'clock and 2.30.

The game in the third round between Holley and Smyth was very well contested on the outward half, the players turning all square. After the turn, however, the Royal Dublin man fell into bad luck. He could simply do nothing right, and, losing the next five holes, lost the match by 5 and 4. M'Dermott, who so readily beat Sullivan on Thursday, had all his work cut out to overcome P. O'Connor. The Hermitage man was 4 up at the 10th, but lost the 11th and halved the 12th. He lost the 13th, halved the next two, and then after losing the 16th in 4 won the 17th to win the match by 2 and 1. Cahill also had to go all out to beat the Portmarnock player, T. Shannon, by 2 and 1, but what proved to be the best match of the morning was that between T. Gaffney and W. Nolan. Gaffney was 3 down at the turn, but on the homeward journey played fine golf. He was then under fours going to the 15th, and eventually won by 2 and 1.

The semi-finals between M'Dermott and Gaffney and Holley and Cahill were rather one-sided affairs. The Hermitage professional beat his opponent by 6 and 5, while Holley beat Cahill by 4 and 3. The golf in Holley's match was not very brilliant, but he turned 4 up. He won the 10th and lost the next. After a half at the 12th Cahill won the 13th. The 14th was halved, and at the 15th Cahill made a fine effort. After over-running the green with his second he sank a long putt for a 4. The local man, who was on in one, was short with his putt, but holed out for a 3 to win the match. M'Dermott was quite at his best in his match with Gaffney, and, out in 36, he turned 5 up. Gaffney was also playing well, and was out in 38. M'Dermott was putting splendidly, and after halving the 10th in 4 won the 11th in 4, the 12th in 4, and the 13th in 2. Details:—

THIRD ROUND.
M. Cahill (Grange) beat T. Shannon (Portmarnock)—2 and 1.
W. Holley (Castle) beat F. Smyth (Royal Dublin)—5 and 4.
M. M'Dermott (Hermitage) beat P. Connor (Baltray)—2 and 1.
Thos. Gaffney (Kilinney) beat W. Nolan (Howth)—2 and 1.

SEMI-FINALS.
W. Holley beat M. Cahill—4 and 3.
M. M'Dermott beat T. Gaffney—6 and 5.
J. Sullivan was right on his game in a consolation stroke competition. His putting was exceptional, and, out in 38, he did the homeward journey in 35 for an excellent 73. His figures were:—
Out—5 5 3 3 4 5 4 4 5—38. Home—5 5 4 3 3 3 4 5 5—35=73. O'Neill was second with 77, while J. Martin and T. Shannon tied for third place with 78.

SPORTING PRESS V. THE RING.

The annual match between the Irish Sporting Press and The Ring was played yesterday at the Hermitage Links, when The Ring won by 3 matches to 2, one match being halved. Results:—
J. P. Rooney (Press) and "Civility" (Ring) halved.
V. Murray (Press) beat B. O'Donnell (Ring), 3 and 1.
A. Burke (Ring), w.o.; Captain L. Hewson (Press), absent.
J. Martin (Ring) beat H. Murphy (Press), 2 up.
J. O'Donnell (Ring) beat H. V. Linehan (Press), 8 and 7.
M. P. Byrne (Press) beat K. J. Duggan (Ring), 4 and 3.

AIR FORCE CHAMPION'S FINE PLAY.

Flight-Lieutenant Hayward, the Air Force Champion, successfully defended his title to the Hants, Isle of Wight, and Channel Isles Golf Associations' Championship over 36 holes at Hayling yesterday, with a score of 147. His first round of 71 established a new amateur record for the course.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

RATHFARNHAM — To-day — Monthly medal, bogey. Entries close for scratch cup at 6 p.m. next Wednesday.

HERMITAGE (Ladies' Branch).—May 1—18 holes, bogey, for prize presented by Messrs. Johnson and Co. Draws on arrival of 10.45, 12.45, and 1.45 trams from town.

PORTMARNOCK.—The second round for the St. George's Cup will be played to-day. Prize best nett second round. An optional sweepstake will also be held. Players not entered for first round of cup can enter. Supper in club-house afterwards.

DUN LAOGHAIRE.—To-day—Foursomes, strokes, sweepstakes. Arrange own partners and opponents. Next Wednesday—Wednesday Cup, strokes. Ladies' Branch.—Result of Mrs. Lyborn's prize—1st, Miss M. P. Kenny (18), 79; 2nd, Mrs. Watson (26), 80. Thursday, 3rd May—Medal, strokes. Arrange opponents, and draws at 11 and 2.

CARRICKMINES.—Ladies' Branch.—Result of bogey competition for prize presented by Messrs. Weir:—Mrs. T. Dobbs (rec. 14), 3 down; Mrs. Guilford (rec. 13), 6 down; Miss Pallin (rec. 18), 6 down. Semi-open four-ball, Wednesday, 18 holes, v. bogey. Prizes presented by Mrs. George Mitchell and Mr. W. Wilson. Arrange partners and opponents. No two members to play together.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Branch.—Result of prize presented by Mr. T. J. Geary:—Miss Bergin, 1st; Mrs. Bourke, 2nd. May 3rd—Medal, 18 holes, strokes.

CARRICKMINES.—To-day—Carrisford Cup, qualifying round, 18 holes, by strokes; first 8 to qualify. Prize for best nett in qualifying round.

ROSSLARE.—Tuesday, May 1—Ladies' monthly medal, strokes. Play after 10 a.m.; choose opponents.

ATHLONE.—Ladies' Branch)—At the annual general meeting, held in the clubhouse, Miss Kilkelly, Cloghan House, Athlone, was elected Hon. Secretary of the Ladies' Committee.

MILLTOWN.—Barton Challenge Cup. Draw for first round, to be played to-day:—H. Phillipson v. A. F. Dunne; P. Glynn v. E. F. Kilduff; W. H. Tighe v. E. Telford; A. D. Pringle v. R. G. L. Leonard. Byes into second round:—A. Farrell v. E. D. Garland; A. Scully v. T. R. Callan; A. Kilduff v. D. Fuge; J. F. Long v. J. H. Pratt; W. C. Cremin v. B. D. Fleming; D. Gallagher v. A. Scott. The second round to be finished by May 5th. Saturday, May 5—Monthly medal, strokes. Ladies' Branch—Prize presented by the Misses Crinion:—Miss R. Smyth, 82; Miss D. Davies, 82; Mrs. Muntz, 83.

GRANGE.—(Ladies Branch)—Tuesday, May 1st—Monthly medal, strokes. Draws 11.30, 2.30, and 6 o'clock. Thursday, May 3rd—Flag competition for prize presented by Mrs. Tamplin. Draws as above. Sweepstakes won by Mrs. Tamplin (86 net.)

WICKLOW.—The eighteenth annual general meeting was held in the clubhouse. The Vice-President (Mr. T. A. Tombe) occupied the chair. The resignation of the outgoing President (Mr. William O'Shaughnessy) was accepted with much regret, and a resolution was unanimously passed thanking him for his unremitting attention to the affairs of the club during the many years that he had been President. A tribute was also paid to the Vice-President and Secretary for the satisfactory position of the club, both financially and otherwise, at the close of the year. The untiring services of Mr. M. J. Butler during his two years of captaincy was acknowledged by a hearty vote of thanks. The following officers and committee for the coming year were then elected:—President—Andrew Nolan; Vice-President—T. A. Tombe; Captain—O. J. Comerford. Hon. Treasurer—M. Laffan. Hon. Secretary—P. McHugh. Committee—N. H. Hawkins, Robert Kent, E. S. [illegible], Dr. W. J. McCormack, G. P. Byrne, M. [illegible], Robert Lee, J. J. Murphy, and A. M. Se[illegible].

DUBLIN COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' GOLF COMPETITION.

All entries for the above competition must be in the Hon. Sec.'s hands on the 1st May.

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS.

The first race will be sailed to-day, round usual harbour course. All boats start from scratch. First gun, 3.45 p.m.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT RELIABILITY TRIAL.

The open reliability trial of the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club, for prizes presented by the captain, hon. secretary and hon. treasurer, will be held to-day. The conditions are somewhat novel. The event will be run over a secret course of about twelve miles, to be covered three times. The start will take place from Enniskerry at 3 p.m., and the finishing point will be near Enniskerry. All the checks will be secret, and competitors will be timed as they pass the time-keeper, and must not stop. The rule which prevents checks being made within three miles of one another, or of a control, will not apply. The course may be anticipated to be of the type known as "sporting," as the starting point is within easy distance of most of the test hills in the northern portion of County Wicklow.

The entries received for the event are as follows:—P. Grimes, 3½ h.p. Scott Squirrel; H. Maher, A.J.S.; T. F. Slevin, 3½ h.p. James; J. A. Carroll, 3½ h.p. B.S.A.; H. Adair, 4 h.p. B.S.A.; J. Adair, 4 h.p. B.S.A.; T. E. Greene, 3½ h.p. Douglas; Geo. G. Briggs, 2½ h.p. O.K. Junior; J. Healy, 2¾ h.p. James; L. A. W. Orr, 3 h.p. Matchless; H. E. Bell, 7 h.p. James; E. Rossiter, 3½ h.p. James; C. S. Maguire, 4¼ h.p. Humber; J. Cruise Callaghan, 3½ h.p. Norton; C. Cruess Callaghan, 3½ h.p. Norton; R. Humphreys, 2¾ h.p. Velocette.

In the Dublin Police Court yesterday application for an occasional licence for a *fête* to be held in Shelbourne Park in aid of the poor of Ringsend, from April 28 to May 5, was granted.

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SELECTIONS FOR THIS DAY'S SANDOWN PARK MEETING.

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Sportsman	Southern Lass.	Corney Grain; if ab., Bennett's sel.	Southampton*.	Zarane.	Polish Prince.	Kirkharle; if ab., Devonport.
Man on the Spot	St. Endas.	King George; if ab., Firedrake.	Southampton.	Flaming Sword.	Gracious Gift.	Sprig.
Sporting Life	St. Endas.	Huonora; if ab., St. George.	Southampton.	Sans Peche.	Gracious Gift.	Dinah Morris.
Man on the Spot	Southern Lass.	St. George.	Keep Cool.	Boddam.	Gracious Gift*.	Devonport.
Westminster Gazette	St. Endas.	Firedrake.	Southampton.	Celtic Mist; if ab., Tomahawk.	Gracious Gift.	Sprig.
Daily News	Southern Lass.	Firedrake.	Southampton.	Tomahawk.	Morning Star.	Sprig.
Daily Mail	Southern Lass.	Baemore.	Daydawn.	Boddam.	Gracious Gift.	Devonport.
Daily Chronicle	Providence.	Firedrake.	Southampton.	Sans Peche.	Hawker.	Sprig.
Daily Express	Providence.	Firedrake*.	Southampton, n.b.	F. Hartigan's sel.; if ab., R. Highness.	Vico; if ab., Regent's Park.	Sprig.
Daily Mirror	St. George II.	—	Southampton.	Sans Peche.	Gracious Gift.	Devonport.
Daily Graphic	Providence.	King George	Southampton.	Tomahawk.	Morning Star.	Kirkharle.
Star	Southern Lass.	King George.	Daydawn*.	Tomahawk	Gracious Gift.	Kirkharle.
Evening News	Providence.	Corney Grain.	Southampton*.	Celtic Mist*.	Carrolstown.	Sprig.
Pall Mall	Helmet.	Duncher.	Southampton.	Redhill.	Regent's Park.	Poise.
Evening Standard	Serban.	Corney Grain.	Daydawn.	Herod Philip.	Dudley.	Devonport.
Times	Providence.	St. George or Piccolisko.	Southampton.	Boddam.	Gracious Gift; if ab., Morning Star.	Kirkharle.

SELECTIONS FOR THIS DAY'S STOCKTON MEETING.

PAPER.	1.45 RACE.	2.15 RACE.	2.45 RACE.	3.15 RACE.	3.45 RACE.	4.15 RACE.
Sportsman	Rustler.	Indulgence.	Felkington; if ab., Jazz Band.	Minley filly.	Theology.	Synorix.
Man on the Spot	Rustler.	Bazley's selected.	Teresken	Packet.	Orland.	Synorix.
Sporting Life	Tommy Long.	King Willow.	Jazz Band, nap.	Golden Sands.	Orland.	Monk of Blyth.
Man on the Spot	Rustler.	King Willow, nap.	Jazz Band.	Night Bell filly.	Orland.	Monk of Blyth.
Westminster Gazette	—	Smoke Screen.	Jazz Band.	—	Theology.	Synorix.
Daily News	Rustler.	Indulgence.	Teresken	Minley filly.	Orland, nap.	Synorix.
Daily Mail	—	—	Teresken.	—	Orland.	Synorix.
Daily Chronicle	Grey Lady.	Smoke Screen.	Teresken	—	Orland, nap.	Synorix.
Daily Express	Doon Star; if ab., Grey Lady.	King Willow; if ab., Indulgence.	Golly Eyes; if ab., Jazz Band.	Night Bell filly; if ab., Packet.	Orland; if ab., Theology.	Synorix; if ab., Monk of Blyth.
Daily Mirror	—	Smoke Screen.	Jazz Band.	Packet.	Peacock's selected.	Monk of Blyth.
Daily Graphic	Rustler.	Smoke Screen.	Jazz Band.	Golden Sands, nap.	Orland.	Synorix
Star	Valentine Vox	Smoke Screen.	Teresken.	Golden Sands.	Orland.	Monk of Blyth
Evening News	Doon Star.	Desmond House.	Jazz Band, nap.	Cairnsmore.	Orland.	Monk of Blyth, nap.
Pall Mall	Doon Star	Smoke Screen	Teresken	Shut Eye.	Orland.	Synorix.
Evening Standard	Hill Country.	Smoke Screen.	Envoy.	Renwick's selected.	Carina colt.	Synorix.
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Books of the Week.

SCRIABIN.

The startling genius of Scriabin did not meet with the opposition and repression in childhood that many of the greatest musicians ha[d] to combat. He passed a cloudless childhood, even though he lost his mother in infancy. After her death he was left [in] the care of his aunt and grandmother, who allowed him "to develop freely on his own lines," while giving him every facility for self-expression that love and care could provide. Can we wonder that "Sacha's" appreciation of himself, fostered in this hot-house of adoring relatives, should grow to the exotic height of later years? One cannot help thinking that the growth and the fruition might have been more wholesome had they come through the pruning and discipline of normal youth.

There is something strangely sad—contrasted with the average boy's life of sport and pastime—in the solitary posing of little Scriabin before his invariable audience of aunt and grandmother. He was never idle, and the creative instinct that was to vitalise the great works of his life, even when he was a child, marked everything that he attempted. He would carve out a miniature piano one day, embroider like his aunt on another—but always to his own pattern and thought. When his aunt tried to teach him the piano he made little progress, and Lubov Alexandrovna (his father's sister) promptly took him to Rubinstein himself. "Don't force the boy; let him follow his own impulse," said Rubinstein; and the child went back to his own ways with the beloved piano. To him the piano was a sentient being. He kissed it every night before going to bed, and became strangely excited whenever it was moved from one place to another. He would spend hours in improvising before imaginary audiences.

Such was the child whose dreams, fancies and creations were only to be partially realised. How colossal they became we descry vaguely through the text to the "Initial Act." To this there were to be no listeners or spectators—performers only, and 2,000 were suggested. All arts were to be represented and blended. There was to be no simple counterpoint of musical parts, or even elements of one and the same art. Scriabin's daring brain contemplated a counterpoint of the various arts. "Colours were to be in counterpoint with sounds, words with action or dancing. A melodic outline would not remain melodic, but might end by a plastic movement; a stanza of poetry might merge into a rainbow of colours to the background of the most divine perfumes."

The author divides his book into two parts—the biographical and the critical—though the volume is really a portrayal of the supreme idea dominating the composer and an analysis of its musical reincarnation. The notes on Russian musical circles are specially interesting, while the review of Scriabin in detail will be found very instructive. The author writes in a convincing, lucid style, and with a scholarly grasp of the works of this restless, soaring spirit. Is it not significant that Scriabin himself looked to a world cataclysm as the only way to prepare people to accept and understand the works which he was evolving? He hailed the Great War as a possible preparation, but did not live to see that even that calamity was not enough to force us entirely to readjust our ideas of musical—and ethical—values.

"Scriabin." By Alfred J. Swan. London: Lane. 6/- net.

THE PAGEANT OF NATURE.

There cannot be too many nature books—not only because the last page of Nature's own book is never turned, but because the more there are, the better chance the still unconverted will have of becoming nature-lovers before it is too late. To be a nature-lover is to raise before one a stout buckler against the heaviest assaults of misfortune or unsuccess. For this reason "The Pageant of Nature," of which Messrs. Cassell and Company have just published the fourth part, would be welcome in any case, and its merits make it doubly so. It is not a serial work in the sense that it tells a continuous story, and that to miss a part is to lose the thread of the discourse. It consists of a series of brilliantly written and admirably illustrated articles on all kinds of nature subjects. If they are to be completed in thirty-six fortnightly parts, it is not because the subject will be exhausted, but because the parts can be published more quickly than the articles can be written or the photographs taken. A book of this sort cannot be written to order, especially in respect to the photographs. It will take an animal photographer years, sometimes, to catch the exact pose or register the fundamental fact for which he is seeking.

For this reason the articles which are written specially for "The Pageant of Nature" are illustrated from the best material selected from a score of notable works—material that represents years of patient labour and, perhaps, hundreds of pounds in reproduction. We find bird portraits by Oliver Pike and by Captain Knight, whose "Wild Life in the Tree-Tops" placed him in the first rank of bird photographers; photographs of otters and fish by Dr. Francis Ward, whose "Animal Life Under Water" almost revolutionised the study of wild life; pictures of plants and leaves by G. Clarke Nuttall and Edward Step, and of moths and caterpillars by Harold Bastin and Ray Palmer. These are but a few of the many contributors whom Dr. Chalmers Mitchell, the editor, has called to his assistance. On the whole, "The Pageant of Nature" is quite the best of the serial publications which are now appearing, and the parents who fail to put it into the hands of their children will be even more short-sighted than those who omit to get it for themselves.

"The Pageant of Nature." In Fortnightly Parts. London: Cassell. 1/2 per part.

MEMORIES OF THE FUTURE.

There are some clever things in this book of memoirs written as in the year 1988 by Opal Lady Porstock, and some excellent satires on present-day foibles, social and literary; but on the whole it lacks felicity. There is a good deal that is obvious—for instance, the payment of children for attending school, the use of teledictaphones, the old-fashioned doctor who insisted on keeping a Rolls-Royce instead of a helicopter. The idiosyncracies of medical men are a closed book to us; perhaps, if it were open, we might appreciate more fully the chapter "On the Sick-List." We have read a tolerable quantity of up-to-date verse, and were, therefore, able to enjoy thoroughly the excellent fooling of the "Index of First Lines in a volume of collected Edwardian poetry," and the parodies of the "page-decorating" group of the Futurist school.

The chapter on "Travels on the Continent" plays lightly with the idea of a panacea for the war-rumours of Central Europe. "A larger Switzerland must be formed which should contain as many as possible of the important tourists' resorts. . . . . The Army was disbanded. If foreign nations have grievances to ventilate, they are requested to communicate direct with Ludgate Circus." We like the solution of the American debt problem. After considerable correspondence it was discharged in full by the grant of three dukedoms, six marquisates, thirty-six peerages, seventy-two baronetcies, and a hundred and twenty knighthoods, all to be put up to open ballot. Tickets were auctioned, £10,000 being freely quoted for a dukedom, although the "Duke of Illinois got in on the ground floor and picked up his ticket at £4,000." A few hits such as this, and the up-to-date Laodicean theology of Bishop Dives, render the book eminently readable in considerable patches.

"Memories of the Future." By Opal Lady Porstock. Edited by Ronald A. Knox. London: Methuen. 7/6 net.

A GAELIC COMMONWEALTH.

Beginning with an introduction to the "noble Irish people," and concluding with an article on "Birth Control," Father Ferris has given us one hundred and sixty pages of delightfully interesting matter. It is written in consonance with the mentality which prevailed two years ago, what time we were a gentle, godly people, rightly struggling to free ourselves from the oppression of the ruthless invader. The book is of permanent value as showing the dominant outlook of so many of our political leaders during those disturbed years which now, we hope, are reaching their conclusion. Facts may do violence to many of the theories advanced by our author: so much the worse for the facts. He writes on with fearless disregard for realities and with a gratifying Celtic hyperbole. We are in the hands of a Gaelic H. G. Wells, who has a ready road to Utopia.

Father Ferris's Ireland is essentially the Ireland of the agriculturist. The social system on which he pins his faith is summarised in a single sentence, but that sentence contains one hundred and sixty-eight words. Some of the things set down as characterising the ideal State recall Swift's Laputa. At times, we feel that we are in the company of an evolutionist. Father Ferris would call the Governor-General *Ard-rí na h-Eireann*, regardless of the fact that, first, the Governor-General is not a king, but His Majesty's representative; and, secondly, that such jurisdiction as the Governor-General possesses is confined within the limits of that part of Ireland which is known as the Irish Free State. Incidentally, the word *Guibernóir* satisfied the Irish speakers and writers of three centuries ago. The book is full of errors in fact and of conclusions with which few will agree; but we confess that we have read it with pleasure from end to end on account of the whole-hearted way in which the author grapples for the solution of problems as old as the fall of man.

"The Gaelic Commonwealth." By the Reverend William Ferris. Dublin: The Talbot Press. 2/6 net.

RECENT FICTION.

Most sane men and women have come to regard Freud and his disciples as victims themselves of neurosis in its most deadly and acute form. Psycho-analysis, however, is not limited to Freudianism, and, used in moderation, together with common-sense and a knowledge of human nature, it is undeniably a means of diagnosis which no physician can afford to ignore. In "The Soul Sifters" Mr. Anderson treats this subject with exceptional understanding and sanity. It is the best psycho-analytical novel which we have read—partly because the author is not obsessed with any one theory, and partly because he never forgets that the novelist's first business is his story. "The Soul Sifters" is, first and foremost, an excellent story, with some charming and very real characters; a very fascinating love motive, and delightful descriptions of fox-hunting and other features of country life. We read this book with extreme interest. The passages on psycho-analysis are treated in a clear and healthy manner, and the Freudian theories are explained, where necessary, with a delicacy which most readers will appreciate.

"The Soul Sifters." By A. J. Anderson. Hurst and Blackett. 7/6 net.

The author's intimate knowledge of wild life on the Cornish coast gives a real vision of environment to the story told by the sturdy John. If at times it reminds us of another John—John Ridd—it is merely that the description is so fine that we actually picture the countryside, feel the warmth of its sunshine, and the breath of the wind sweeping the Downs; gaze into its distances, and learn to know of the life with which it teems. John tells of his life here from boyhood—a life exciting and adventurous in spite of its humble surroundings, if not because of them. These were the days of smugglers and mysterious hiding-places in spite of all that the "preventive-men" could do, and of poaching in defiance of the Game Laws and the horrors of the man-trap. John Penrose is outlawed and hunted much as the other things of nature are, and takes it with something of their blind instinct, too. He tells his story so graphically that we must leave it to him. Both as a novel and as nature-study the book is admirable.

"John Penrose." By J. C. Tregarthen. Murray. 7/6 net.

Mrs. Austin's hero, Richard Campbell, is an eccentric, but lovable, young man. He had been adopted by a wealthy man, who left him his fortune, and Campbell repaid the kindness by running foundling hospitals for four hundred children. Diana Wakely, the heroine, is a young authoress forced to write pot-boilers in order to live. They meet in a London lodging house, where it was the eccentric young man's habit to spend a few months of the year. The story of their love is very romantic and charming, if a little unreal. Diana is inclined to take too much to heart the fact that her mother was not married to her father—but everything "comes right in the end." It is a restful and readable story, written in a flowing, easy style. If we found it a shade too idealistic, we do not complain; for idealism, at any rate, is a relief from present-day troubles.

"The Lovable Lunatic." By Phyllis Austin. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

Biography.

Life and Letters of Sir Hubert Herkomer, C.V.O., R.A. By J. Saxon Mills. London: Hutchinson. 24/- net.
Enrico Caruso. By Pierre V. R. Key, in collaboration with Bruno Zirato. London: Hurst and Blackett. 21/- net.
My Father and I. By Alice Hughes. London: Thornton Butterworth. 15/- net.

Fiction.

Laughing Water. By Emil Droonberg. Lane. 7/6 net.
The Holders of the Gate. By Helen M. Fairley. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.
Colin. By E. F. Benson. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.
The Deviations of Diana. By Hutton Mitchell, Philpot. 7/6 net.
The Muck Pond. By Joan Kennedy. Philpot, 7/6 net.
The Tiger's Coat. By Elizabeth Dejeans. Thornton Butterworth. 7/6 net.
Above Suspicion. By R. O. Chipperfield. Hurst and Blackett. 7/6 net.
That Fellow MacArthur. By Selwyn Jepson. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.
Time is Whispering. By Elizabeth Robins. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.
The Big Muskeg. By Victor Rousseau. Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.
The Hopeful Journey. By Beatrice K. Seymour. Chapman and Hall. 7/6 net.
Victoria. By Knut Hamsun. Gyldendal. 5/- net.
Mr. Thorndyke's Case Book. By R. Austin Freeman. Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.
One World at a Time. By Margaret Fuller. Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.
Stephen, the Well-Beloved. By H. E. Scarborough. Fisher Unwin. 6/- net.
Possession. By Mazo de la Roche. Macmillan. 7/6 net.

Miscellaneous.

The Railway Year Book for 1923. London: The Railway Magazine. 6/- net.
"Married Misery" and its Scandinavian Solution. By H. G. Bechmann. London: Gyldendal. 3/6 net.
Hungary and Democracy. By C. J. C. Street. London: Fisher Unwin. 10/6 net.
Sailor-Town Days. By C. Fox Smith. London: Methuen. 6/-.
A Tale of Indian Heroes. By Flora Annie Steel. London: Hutchinson. 10/6 net.
Unconventional Memories: Europe, Persia, Japan. By Ralph Nevill. London: Hutchinson. 18/- net.
Men of Letters. By Dixon Scott. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.
The Irish Revolution, and How it Came About. By William O'Brien. Dublin: Maunsel and Roberts. 16/- net.

New Editions.

Queen Elizabeth. By Agnes Strickland. London: Hutchinson. 2/- net.
Napoleon. By F. de Bourrienne. London: Hutchinson. 2/- net.
Nelson. By Robert Southey. London: Hutchinson. 2/- net.
Marie Antoinette. By Madame Campan. London: Hutchinson. 2/- net.
The Fourth Gospel. By the Rev. Henry Scott Holland, D.D. With a new Preface by the Right Rev. Charles Gore, D.D. London: Murray. 6/- net.
The Fortunate Youth. By William J. Locke. London: Lane.
Bartholomew's General Map of Ireland, Showing Irish Free State and Northern Ireland. London: Bartholomew and Son. 1/6 net.
The Tragedy of Macbeth. Printed from the Folio of 1623. Illustrated by Charles Ricketts, A.R.A. "The Players' Shakespeare." London: Ernest Benn. £4 4/- net.
The Merchant of Venice. Printed from the Folio of 1623. Illustrated by Thomas Lowinsky. "The Players' Shakespeare." London: Ernest Benn. £4 4/- net.

Theology.

The Divinity of Christ in the New Testament. By J. Herbert Williams, M.A. London: Murray. 5/- net.
The Story of the Resurrection. By Henry Wace, D.D., Dean of Canterbury. London: Murray. 7/6 net.
The Story of Christ. By Giovanni Papini. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.

Translations.

The Bloom of Life. By Anatole France. Translated by J. Lewis May. London: Lane. 7/6 net.
The Garden of Epicurus. By Anatole France. Translated by Alfred Allinson. London: Lane. 2/6 net.
Crainquebille. By Anatole France. Translated by Winifred Stephens. London: Lane. 2/6 net.

Travel.

The Charm of the Middle Kingdom. By James Reid Marsh. London: Hurst and Blackett. 12/6 net.
Patrolling in Papua. By W. Humphries, A.R.M. London: Fisher Unwin. 21/- net.

Verse.

Poems. By George Santayana. London: Constable. 7/6 net.

POVERTY IN DUBLIN.

REPORT OF SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY.

The report of the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society, which was read at the annual general meeting of members and supporters of the society in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday afternoon, Alderman Alfred Byrne presiding, reviewed 1922 as a year of trying hardship on that portion of the working population which was afflicted by sickness and lack of employment.

During the year, the report stated, the society was called upon to relieve 4,607 families, a total of £3,661 19s. being expended on these cases. Although the bank overdraft of £3,235 still remained a heavy burden, an upward tendency in subscriptions was recorded, as well as in donations and legacies.

Acute distress still exists in Dublin, and poverty will increase unless there is an immediate revival in trade.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, said that he knew, from his own personal contact with the very poor, what unemployment had done in Dublin. Trade conditions in Ireland were never so bad as now.

The society, he continued, being non-political and non-sectarian, made an appeal to all classes of the public. This year the society had to deal with increased appeals for help, and he hoped that the society's call would not go unanswered.

The report was adopted.

Judge O'Brien moved a resolution commending the good work of the society, and appealing to the public for liberal support. The charitable hand of the society was always ready to be extended to those in need. In the city there was a condition of affairs, due to industrial distress and trade troubles, that called strongly for the support of the charitable public. He strongly recommended the society to the support of the citizens.

Mr. William Field seconded the motion, which was passed.

Messrs. Craig, Gardner and Co. were re-elected auditors.

DUBLIN PAROCHIAL MISSION.

A successful conference of Dublin clergy on the subject of the Dublin Parochial Mission was held last Tuesday. Plans for the Mission are progressing. Attention is drawn to the third united Service of Intercession, to be held in St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, next Tuesday at 5.15 p.m. The address will be given by the Rev. W. Monk Gibbon, Rector of Taney, Dundrum.

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DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Garden of Allah," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"The Men in Possession," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"General John Regan," 2.30 and 8.15 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Father Murphy," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Rich Men's Wives," 3-10.30.
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Man Unconquerable," 4, 6-25, and 9 p.m.
Princess, Rathmines—"Dangerous Curve Ahead."
Theatre Royal—Leggett Byrne Matinee, 2.30 p.m.
Hibernian Fire and General Assurance Co., 48-49 Dame street, 12 o'clock.

DUBLIN.

Y.W.C.A. SALE.—Ten thousand eggs were on offer at a sale in aid of the central funds of the Young Women's Christian Association, held in the offices, Upper Mount street, Dublin, yesterday. The eggs were the gifts of country branches all over Ireland. They sold readily at 1s. to 1s. 9d. a dozen. An attractive stall was the "Au Revoir," furnished entirely and well by members of the Association who have left Ireland. The sale will be open for a few hours this morning.

THEATRE ROYAL SCENE.—A further remand was granted yesterday in the Dublin Police Court in the case in which John Johnstone (29), and Richard Creagh (33), bookmakers' clerks, were charged with attempting to pick the pocket of a man named O'Meara, in the Theatre Royal, Dublin, last Monday night.

GEOGRAPHICAL SCIENCE.—The last of the series of lectures organised by the Irish Geographical Association will be delivered in the lecture room of the Royal Academy, 19 Dawson street, at 4.15 p.m., on Monday, when Miss E. Butler will lecture on "Irish Place Names and Geographical Influences." Visitors are cordially invited.

DAMAGE TO MOTOR CYCLE.—A decree for £9 was awarded by the Recorder of Dublin yesterday in a claim by a man named Carr against Messrs. Crean, North King street, Dublin, for damages to his motor cycle and sidecar, caused by the negligent driving of a motor car, the property of the defendants.

SAILORS' REST, NORTH WALL.—At the annual business meeting of the Dublin Branch of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, it was reported that the attendances at the Sailors' Rest numbered 22,768, and that 830 ships were visited. The cash statement for 1922 was considered very satisfactory, considering the state of the country. The scheme for the fitting up of bedrooms and baths for seamen, and a large recreation room was under consideration.

BODY FOUND IN LIFFEY.—The body of an unknown woman was recovered from the River Liffey yesterday afternoon, and removed to the Morgue to await identification.

CONNAUGHT.

ATTEMPTED MURDER CHARGES.—Margaret King, of Knocknamenghleum, Balla, Co. Mayo, and her son, Michael, and daughters, Mary and Rose, were at a special court in Claremorris on Wednesday, committed for trial on a charge of the attempted murder of James King, a step-son of the first-named prisoner. It is alleged that a dispute had occurred over land.

LONG-SERVICE PAY.—At the monthly meeting of the Mayo Mental Hospital Committee the order of a previous meeting, granting long-service pay to the members of the subordinate staff after ten, fifteen, and twenty years' service, was confirmed.

DEFAULTERS' CATTLE SEIZED.—Arrests and seizures of sheep and cattle have been made by Free State forces in the Loughrea district, in connection with the illegal possession of land and the non-payment of poor rate.

LEINSTER.

POST OFFICES RAIDED.—Castlebridge (Co. Wexford) Post Office has been raided by four masked and armed men, who stole postage, health, and unemployment insurance stamps to the value of £35, and three postmen's wallets. Twenty men stood on guard outside the office during the raid. Straffan Station and Post Office were raided by two armed men, one of whom was armed with a rifle. They seized 15s. 6d., all the money on the station premises, and took money and stamps to the value of £3 10s. from the Post Office. This is the fourteenth time that this Post Office has been raided.

MOTOR CARS FOR RELIEVING OFFICERS.—Kildare County Board of Health has appointed two relieving officers to do the work of the county, and has agreed to purchase motor cars for them, the amount to be repaid in four years. Ninepence a mile travelling expenses is allowed to the Secretary of the Board.

RENT COLLECTOR ROBBED.—John Shanley, cottage rent collector, Corkaree, Ballymahon, Co. Longford, was visited at his home by armed and masked men, who robbed him of £6 in cash and his books. The books were found later a short distance from his home.

VALUABLE PUBLIC HOUSE.—£5,000 was refused at an auction of Plunkett's public-house, Main street, Longford, as this was below the reserve price.

MUNSTER.

CO. LIMERICK AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE.—At a meeting of the County Limerick Agricultural and Technical Committee a letter was read from Mr. George Clarke, secretary of the Irish Aberdeen-Angus Association, suggesting, in the interests of the small farmer, the necessity for encouraging the breed of cattle for beef, having regard to the importation of store cattle into England. It was pointed out by the chairman of the meeting that Limerick was a dairying county, and the Committee had framed its scheme with a view to the raising of dairy cattle. Further consideration of the letter was adjourned. A resolution was passed approving of a National Board for Irish butter, and suggesting that the grading of butter should be forthwith instituted. The resolution added that the only reliable means of testing fresh butter was by bacteriological examination. The Committee approved of the scheme put forward by the Irish Agricultural Organisation Society.

GREAT MUNSTER FAIR.—The great Munster cattle and sheep fair held at Limerick yesterday was rather below the average in point of numbers, but prices showed an increase, being £2 to £3 better than recent quotations. The tone of the fair was buoyant, due to improved transit facilities and the demand for stores from Great Britain. Three-year-old bullocks fetched from £21 to £25 a head, three-year-old heifers £18 to £22; two-year-old bullocks £16 to £19, two-year-old heifers £14 to 17, yearlings £11 to £13. Milch cows were scarce. Best beef realised from 47s. to 60s. a cwt., and sheep an average of 1s. 2d. a pound on foot.

TRIBUTE TO MR. GILL.—County Limerick Agricultural Committee has passed a resolution placing on record its appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. T. P. Gill, formerly Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, to agriculture and technical education in Ireland.

GROCER'S VAN LOOTED.—Armed men stopped a grocer's motor delivery van three miles from Queenstown yesterday and looted all the foodstuffs, which they stacked on the roadside. They then told the driver to drive the van away.

WARNING AGAINST DOLE FRAUDS.—At Fermoy, Michael Grout, Kilworth, was fined £5 for fraudulently attempting to obtain unemployment benefit at the Fermoy Labour Exchange while working for the County Council. The prosecutor said that the Free State Government was determined to put a stop to the practice.

POACHED SALMON SEIZED.—On Thursday Free State soldiers seized some nets full of salmon, illegally caught on the previous night in the River Cashen, Co. Kerry, an estuary of the River Feale.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The pressure distribution is favourable for light or moderate winds, mainly West or South-West, with fair or cloudy weather, a risk of showers later in the day, and a moderate temperature.

N.W. Ireland.—Light to moderate or fresh West or South-West winds; fair at first, more cloud later, perhaps with rain or drizzle; visibility moderate or good; moderate temperature.

N.E., S.E., and S.W. Ireland.—Light to moderate West to South-West winds; fair to cloudy, risk of showers later in day; visibility moderate or good; moderate temperature.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind West to South-West, light, freshening later; mainly fair, risk of showers later; visibility good; sea moderate.

North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind West to South-West, light, freshening; fair at first, risk of rain or drizzle later; visibility moderate or good; sea moderate.

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Dublin—Friday 29.90

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To-day....Morning	9.20	Evening	......	9.25
To-morrow.. "	10.12	"	......	10.40
QUEENSTOWN.				
To-day....Morning	3.57	Evening	......	4.26
To-morrow.. "	4.52	"	......	5.16

NORTHERN IRELAND.

LANGUAGE FUND COLLECTOR FINED.—The maximum fine of 40s. (for a first offence) was imposed in the Belfast Summons Court yesterday upon Bridget Farrell, of 20 Lepper street, for collecting money from pedestrians without having the necessary permit. She said that the collection was in aid of the Irish Language Fund, and that she thought that the promoters had obtained a permit.

ARMAGH ANTI-PROHIBITIONISTS.—At an anti-prohibition meeting in the City Hall, Armagh, last night, a resolution was passed protesting against the introduction of restrictive legislation at the dictation of a teetotal party without first consulting the electorate.

PORK PRICES RISING.—The price of pork is on the increase in South Tyrone markets, 110s. a cwt. being paid in Aughnacloy market and 107s. 6d. in Clogher. The supply is small and below the demand.

FEWER UNEMPLOYED.—There was a decrease of 1,658 in the number of unemployed in Northern Ireland during the week ended last Monday. The total number of unemployed at that date was 43,811. There was also a decrease of 1,157 in the number of persons on systematic short time. The decrease was due chiefly to an improvement in the linen and building trades, and to the employment of men on the relief schemes.

CARRYING TRADE WAGES.—Negotiations have taken place between the Belfast Carriers' and Horse Owners' Association and the Amalgamated Transport and General Workers' Union of Great Britain and Ireland in connection with wages. A basis of settlement was reached, but the terms have to be submitted to the general body of members of the two organisations for acceptance or otherwise. The outlook is hopeful.

DECREE FOR £800.—At Belfast yesterday an award of £800 was made to the relatives of the late W. J. Allen, of Sackville place, Belfast, who was shot near his house on March 13, 1922. The claim was for £3,000.

ATHLETICS.

N.A. AND C.A. "ALL SPORTS WEEK."

A meeting of the Standing Committee of the National Athletic and Cycling Association was held at 15 Parnell square, Mr. J. J. Keane presiding. Also present—Dr. R. J. Rowlette, W. Hely, H. M. Finlay and A. C. Harty, secretary.

Messrs. J. J. Walsh, T.D., and M. V. Rowan attended as a deputation from the Tailtean Committee, in connection with the running of an "All-Sports Week" early in August. After some discussion, the following programme was provisionally arranged:—August 3rd and 4th, rowing; 5th and 6th, athletics; 7th, swimming; 8th, boxing; 9th, motor cycling; 10th, bands, camogie, etc. A sub-committee is to be formed, consisting of two representatives from each branch. The events will be run as a preparation for the International Olympic, to be held in Paris next year.

The following programme was confirmed for the All-Ireland Schools' and College Championships, to be held on May 21st:—Boys under 14 years on May 1st, 1923, 100 yards, 220 yards; boys under 16 years on May 1st, 100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, long jump, high jump, relay race (for teams of four, 220 yards each); boys under 18 years on May 1st, 100 yards, 440 yards, one mile, 120 yards, hurdles (10 hurdles six yards apart, height 2ft. 6in.), high jump, long jump, hop, step and jump, pole jump, 12lb shot, relay race (teams of four, 440 yards each). Entry forms may be had from the Secretary, 68 Upper O'Connell street Dublin.

A report from the Irish Road Club was adjourned. A report from Mr. F. Harkins, Cork, stated that the Cork County Athletic Board was holding a Cross-Country Championship on April 29th, for which six clubs had entered. Satisfaction was expressed at their progress in Cork.

It was decided to hold a general meeting of the Central Executive in Dublin on May 6th. Among the items on the agenda are:—(1) Report of last year's working, (2) appointment of officers for coming year, (3) fix date of National Athletic Championships and programme, (4) appoint handicappers, (5) change of rules.

Sports permits were sanctioned for a number of meetings.

Mr. P. Lynch presided at a meeting of the County Dublin Board, at which it was decided to hold the County Dublin Athletic and Cycling Championships at Croke Park, on Saturday, June 23rd. The following programme was provisionally fixed:—Athletics, 100 yards, 440 yards, half-mile, one mile, four miles, high jump, long jump, 120 yards' hurdles, putting 16lb. shot and throwing 16lb. hammer; cycling quarter-mile, one mile and five miles.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY H. AND A.C.

Trinity held another meeting last evening, and again Carson annexed the distance event, winning the mile off a short mark after a splendid finish with Hilliard, who was only caught a couple of yards from the tape. Wood ran well from the scratch mark in the final of the 100 yards handicap, finishing a good third. Details:—

100 yards handicap final—T. J. Millin (7), 1st; R. Cussen (7), 2nd; R. R. Wood (scr.), 3rd; J. S Glasgow (6), 4th. Also ran—D. M. Carson (8) and R. Eccles (8). Run in five heats. Won by half a yard; same between second and third.

Hop, step and jump—C. McCaldin, 36ft., 1st; W. I. McDonagh, 33ft. 3½in., 2nd; S. S. Evans, 32ft. 8in., 3rd. Ten competed.

Throwing 16lb. hammer—E. E. Studdert, 58ft., 1st; S. S. Evans, 57ft. 1in., 2nd; E. Sanctuary, 55ft. 10in., 3rd. Six competed.

One mile handicap—D. M. Carson (30), 1st; R. Hilliard (90), 2nd; R. H. McKeag (70), 3rd. Won after a great finish by two feet; ten yards between second and third. Seventeen competed.

CLONLIFFE HARRIERS—HORAN CUP HANDICAP.

The above six miles flat handicap will be run off at Finglas to-day, at 4.15:—The handicap is as follows:—B. H. Bingham, scratch; W. Kinsella, G. Ryder, 50 secs.; N. J. McEachern, A. J. Cassidy, 1.15; H. C. Walters, A. Peelo, 1.30; G. N. Walker, J. D. Stephens, W. Barden, 2.0; G. Gahan, C. F. Rothwell, J. Monohan, W. Trulock, 2.30; M. Gahan, C. Kenna, J. Flood, L. Mooney, 3.0; D. McAleese, J. O'Connor, H. McEvoy, Gorry, 3.30; J. Foley, B. McCormack, 4.0; F. Gibney, N. Hull, O. Barden, H. Barden, 4.30; R. T. Galway, A. G. Ledbetter, C. Byrne, 5.0; A. E. Towson, J. Cassidy, P. O'Reilly, T. Kelly, W. French, P. Monks, J. P. Scott, H. Rylands, J. Cronin, M. Dennehy, J. Ryan, 5.30; F. J. Duffy, M. J. O'Reilly, A. Freyne, F. A. Walters, J. McEvoy, T. Nolan, F. Dalton, T. Byrne, 6.0; J. Cusack, R. Lewis, A. Clarke, A. West, D. J. Dunn, 6.30; J. Scully, S. Gill, W. O'Hara, M. Moran, J. Greenan, 7.30; W. E. Byers, G. Ryan, J. West, 8.0; P. J. Howlin, P. Murray, 9.0; R. Galway, W. West, S. Higgins, 9.15; B. O'Reilly, 9.50; J. A. Walters (sen.), 10.30; H. B. Dawson, 11.0; J. J. Gorry (sen.), 12.30.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE SPORTS.

The Alexandra College Sports will be held to-day at Milltown at 2.30.

ST. ULTAN'S CHAMBER CONCERT.

In all the careful performances of classic music given in aid of St. Ultan's Hospital, there has been nothing quite so good as the Brahms "Quartet in C Minor," which, with Schumann's "Trio No. 1 in D," made up the programme at the Engineers' Hall yesterday afternoon.

The human appeal which pervades Brahms was strongly insisted upon by the players, who were splendidly *en rapport*, giving the work with great fluency, though obviously at high tension. The piano has an important part, and Mrs. O'Connell-Mikey played it with mentality, strong rhythmic sense, and arresting incidents. The violin (Miss Lorna Thompson, who has made great strides in classic interpretation) stated the thematic material in pleasant "singing" tone. Both 'cello and viola showed the artistic calibre of the players—Mr. Schofield and Mr. G. Brett.

The Schumann Trio was also given after the best traditions.

IMPORTED BOTTLES.

Alderman Alfred Byrne has informed an *Irish Times* representative that, while the local bottle factories were idle, the bill of entry for Dublin Port during the past week showed that a further shipment of 500 gross of bottles had been made from Hamburg.

CORPORATION STANDARD CLERKSHIPS.
Exam. announced for May. Last Exam., April, 1922, 3 SUCCESSES. BEST RESULT. McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville st., Dublin. —(Advt.)

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The Lowest Prices ever heard of in Dublin for Reliable Goods.
Over 2,000 Pairs of Blankets for Full-size Double Beds, all Pure Wool and Snowy White. Sale Price, 20/- per pair 10/-
Over 100 Bales of the same Beautiful Blankets for Full-size Single Beds. Sale Price, each ...... 6/11; 13/10 per pair.
Some very Heavy Unbleached Twill Sheets. Old Prices, 6/11 and 9/11 each. Sale Price, each ... 3/11 & 4/11
200 Bales of White Twill Sheets for Single Beds. Good Quality, Hemmed. Were 5/11. Sale Price, each 2/11
A Lot of Better Quality Extra Strong White Twill Sheets. Former Price, 11/6. Sale Price 6/11
About 1,500 Yards Splendid White Calico, Rich Satin Finish, suitable for Household use, 31" wide. Was 1/-. Sale Price, yard ...... 6½d.
Best White Honeycomb Quilts, largest Double-Bed Size. Were 25/-. Sale Price, each 10/-
Blay Calico Bargain.—Strong Blay Calico. Was 1/4 per yard. Sale Price ...... 8½d.
Government Towels — Great Bargain, 36 ins. long, strong Huckaback Towels. Were 1/11. Sale Price ...... 10½d.
A lot of Cheap Coloured Alhambra Quilts, for Single Beds, in Gold or Pink or Blue. Were 7/6. each. Sale Price 3/11
Also about 200 same Quilts, in Double Bed Size. Were 12/6. Sale Price 6/11
Waterproof Bed Sheets.—Great Bargain in full-sized Waterproof Sheets. Worth 8/11. Bargain Price, each 4/11
Cradle Waterproof Sheets.—1,000 to be sold in the Sale at, each 2/11
Cradle Underblankets.—1,000 Soft Cradle Underblankets, with Blue Borders. Sale 1/-
Extraordinary Bargain in Fine Rich White Huckaback Towels, with rich damask wreath design. Were 4/11. Sale Price 1/11
Bargains—Underblankets for Single Beds. Very very expensive. Sale Price, each 1/11
The same Underblanket for Double Bed, each 2/11
Another Enormous Delivery of Snowy White All Wool Blankets. 5,000 pairs just received.
White Twill Sheets—Superior quality. Double Bed size. The remains of a Big Shipping Order secured at our own valuation. Sale Price, each 5/-
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TWO MARVELLOUS BARGAINS in Bales of Household Goods at a fraction of the old Selling Prices. Post Orders for these two numbers executed in order received.
No. 1 Bale, containing:—1 Pair Double Bed Blankets, pure wool; 1 large Marcella Quilt, pink, blue or gold; 1 pr. White Twill Sheets, for double bed; 2 Hemstitched Frill Pillow Cases; 1 Linen Finished Bolster Case; 2 large Striped Turkish Towels; 1 Mill Soiled Woollen Blanket. Original Price, £5 15/9. The Lot £2 13/6
No. 2 Bale contains:—1 pr. Single Bed Size All-Wool Blankets; 1 Alhambra Quilt; 1 pr. White Twill Sheets; 2 Buttoned Pillow Cases; 1 Buttoned Bolster Case; 2 Striped or White Turkish Towels; 1 Large Army Blanket. Original Price, £4 4/-. The Lot for £1 17/9

TOWEL BARGAINS, ETC.

100 Dozen Clery's Huck Towels, hemstitched, large size. Were 2/3 each. Sale Price, each 1/-
Strong Kitchen Towels—Great Bargain, Sale Price ...... 8½d.
100 Dozen Heavy Glass or Tea Cloths, in red or blue. Sale Price, each ...... 6d.
1,000 Strong and Soft Crash Roller Towels, ready-made. Were 2/11 each. Sale Price 1/6
Great Bargain in large Extra Heavy Striped Turkish Towels, about 200 doz. Were 4/1 each. Sale Price each 1/6
A Splendid lot of Turkish Towels, size 36ins. x 20ins. Sale Price 1/-
Bargain in Strong Scrub Floor Cloths. Sale Price ...... 2½d.
Irish Ticken—Wonderful Bargain—Nearly 5" wide; heavy linen finish. Was 7/- yard last year. Sale Price 2/11
A Bargain Line in Crash Table Covers, 36 ins. square, hemmed and embroidered. Sale Price, each 1/11
Bargain Line in Sideboard Covers and Table Runners, in Crash and Coloured Casement Cloth, nicely embroidered. Sale price, each 1/11

BOOT DEPT.

A Large Lot of Children's Black and Brown Glace 1-Bar Shoes. Extra Quality. Sizes 4 to 6. Were 7/6. Sale Price 3/11
250 Pairs Wichert's Famous American Boots. In Laced and Buttoned. Sizes 3, 3½, 4, 4½, 5. Were 75/-. Special Sale Price 25/6
About 250 Pairs Men's Box Calf Boots, American make, in Derby and Plain Laced. Were 30/-. Sale Price 15/9
About 100 Pairs Men's Box Calf Derby Boots, Leather Lined through and Welted. Were 32/6. Sale Price 19/6
About 700 Pairs Men's Box Calf Derby Shoes, Square Toes and Heels (Welted). Were 32/6. Sale Price 16/11
About 1,000 Pairs Men's Best Quality Brown Willow Calf Derby Boots, with stitched heels, and leather lined throughout. Welted. Full Sizes only. Were 37/6. Sale Price 21/6
500 Pairs Men's Black and Brown Brogue Shoes. Sizes 10 and 11 only. Were 45/-. Sale Price 15/-
1,000 Pairs Boys' Box Derby Boots, unlined. Suitable for Hard Wear. Sizes 7 to 10, 7/6; 11 to 1, 7/11; 2 to 5, 9/6.
900 Pairs Ladies' Box Calf Derby Shoes, Square Toes and Medium Heels. Sizes 3 to 7. Were 23/6. Sale Price 12/6
A Big Lot of Ladies' Glace Kid Derby Shoes, Patent Toe-Caps and Cuban Heels, with stitched soles. Sizes 3 to 7. Were 36/-. Sale Price 14/6
1,000 Pairs of Ladies' Glace Kid House Shoes, with Strap and Rubber Top Piece. Were 7/6. Sale Price 3/11
Great Bargain in Ladies' Glace Kid Shoes, Square Toe and Flat Heels, with or without Toe-Caps. Sizes 6 and 7 only. Were 27/6. Sale Price 8/11
Great Bargain in Ladies' Boots. Sizes 3 and 4 only. Were 45/-. Sale Price 12/11

LACE CURTAIN AND PRINT DEPT.

Beautiful Cream Casement for Side Curtains, 38 inches wide; Hemstitched and Lace Insertion at each side. Sale Price, per yard 1/6
1,000 Units of Beautiful New Designs, 3 yds. long. Were 14/6. Sale Price, per pair 7/6
Big Bargain Purchase of Exquisite new Curtains, 3½ yds. long. Were 24/6. Sale Price, per pair 12/11
Nearly 1,000 Pairs New Waterfall Curtains. Were 3/6. Sale Price 1/11
Bargain Lot of Tapestry Table Covers, Red, Green and Blue. Were 8/11. Sale Price 5/11
About 8,000 Yards Lovely New Dress Casement, Double Width; in Blue, Pink, Cream, White, Brown and Green. Were 2/3. Sale Price 1/-
4,000 Yards Beautiful Check Reversible Zephyrs, Mauve/White, Blue/White, Brown/White. Were 1/-. Sale Price ...... 6½d.

LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Underskirts—Astonishing Bargains in shot, cotton Taffeta Underskirts, in the newest shades; fawn, sky, rust and mauve. Were 8/11. Sale Price 4/6
Underskirts enormously reduced in price. White Nainsook Underskirts finished deep Swiss-work flounce. Were 10/11. Sale Price 3/11
Camisoles—A rare offer of Dainty Camisoles, in finest quality Nainsook, beautifully trimmed Val. lace or turn embroidery. Were 4/11. Sale Price 1/11
Dressing Gowns—Greatest Bargain ever offered in Kimono Morning Wraps, beautifully embroidered in colours—navy, sky, grey, pink. Were 17/6. Sale Price 8/11
Brassiere—A big collection of Brassieres, perfectly cut; splendid bargain. Sizes 32" to 44". Were 5/11. each. Sale Price 2/6
Dressing Jackets—A dainty assortment of pretty Crepe Cloth Dressing Jackets, daintily embroidered, magyar shape. Colours: sky, mauve, pink. Were 9/11. Sale Price 4/11
Astounding Bargains in Corsets—Low fitting, perfectly cut, in best quality coutil material. All sizes. Were 9/11. Sale Price 3/11
Ladies' Chems. — Wonderful offer in good quality Longcloth Chems, round or square necks, trimmed Swiss embroidery. Were 3/11. Sale Price 1/11
Camisoles—Splendid Bargain in Dainty Camisoles, beautifully trimmed lace. Were 3/11. Sale Price 1/-
Nightdresses—Great Bargain of useful and dainty Nightdresses, trimmed embroidery and lace. Were 10/6. Sale Price 4/11
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Corsets—Two Wonderful Bargains in serviceable Corsets—A Big Purchase of Perfect Fitting Coutille Corsets, with 4 suspenders; fitted with unbreakable spiral steels, low fitting. Worth 7/11. Sale Price 3/11
Wonderful Bargain in Sports Corsets, with silk elastic top at waist, and finished with hose supporters. Were 10/11. Sale Price 5/11

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Goods of Fine Quality at lower than auction prices.
Strong Bedsteads, Astonishing Bargain.
Black Strong Enamelled Bedsteads, Single Bedstead Size, complete with Wire Mattress. Sale, each 14/11
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Wonderful Bargains in Bedsteads, Strong Brass-mounted Bedsteads, double size. Were 50/-. Sale Price, each 29/6
Massive Ditto, with huge 2" pillars. Sale Price, each 39/6
Block Pillows. Were 2/6. Sale Price 1/3
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Astonishing Bargain in Wood Beds, Polished Oak, Finished Jacobean Style, with diamond wire mattress. Were 90/-. Sale Price 49/6
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Bargains in Wicker Arm-Chairs, Upholstered Back and Seat. Were 39/6. Sale Price 15/6
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Amazing Bargains in Real Linoleum, Rich Carpet Designs, Reddish or Fawns, 2 yds. wide. Was 13/6 per yard. Sale Price, yard 5/11
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To-day's Big Handkerchief Offer.
A Wonderful Bargain—Ladies' Handkerchiefs in Patterned Lawn. Smart and Dainty. Each ...... 3½d.
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Great Bargain in nicely framed Pictures, 14" x 12". Were 2/11. Each 1/11

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Bargains in Dress Gabardine Coats, Handsome Braid and Silk Stitching, in Navy, Black, Nigger, Beaver, Mole. Were 7 gns. Sale Price 65/-
Bargains in Sports Coats in Blanket Cloth, Sac Shape with Belt, in a variety of colours, Lemon, Cream. Were 42/-. Sale Price 27/6
Coat and Skirt, in a Variety of Tweed Mixtures; also Black, Navy and Nigger; Coat lined throughout. Was 75/-. Sale Price 52/6
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Special feature is our Making-up Costume Department, which is under the control of First Class Cutters. All Orders entrusted to our care will be carefully executed in every detail at Moderate Prices.
Tailor-made Costumes, in Beautiful Tweeds, Striped, etc., at 49/6
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Great Bargain in the New Pleated Skirts, in the latest Heather Striped Tweeds. Worth 25/-. Sale Price 10/-
New Marabout Stoles, great bargain, 6 strands, 1½ yds. long, in Mole, Nigger, and Black; very full, rich style. Bargain Price 15/-
Bargain in the New Blue Celestial Thibet Long Fur Ties. Worth 45/-. Bargain Price 25/-
Great Bargain in Coat Frocks—150 Very Smart Coat Frocks, beautiful designs, neatly trimmed, in Gabardine. A few in Eolienne and Morocain, in Black, Navy, Nigger, and Mole. Worth 5 gns. Bargain Price 52/6

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Men's Day Shirts, medium weight, flannel finish in most attractive stripes of Blue, Black, and Helio, on cream grounds; single cuffs. In sizes 14 to 17½. Were 15/11. Sale Price 3/6
Gentlemen's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, large size. Worth 9d. each. 4/- per doz., or each ...... 4½d.
Gentlemen's Wide-End Ties, newest designs, in stripe and fancy; Blue, Grey, Green, and Brown Patterns. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/6
Men's Flannel Pyjamas, in smart Blue, Helio, and Pink Stripes, on cream grounds; polo collar; generously cut and well finished; absolutely unshrinkable; in sizes 38", 40", 42", and 44". Were 16/6. Sale Price 10/6
Boys' Wide-End Ties, Stripe and Self Patterns. Were 2/6. Sale Price 1/-
Suit Cases—Strong Compressed Fibre Suit Cases, with 2 good locks and double corners; very light in weight. 22in. ...... 16/6 24 ins. 9/6; 26 ins. 10/6.
Men's Cotton Twill Pyjama Suits, in Bold Blue, Pink, Fawn, Mauve and Grey Stripes, on Cream Grounds. Sizes 38", 40", 42". Were 12/5. Sale Price 7/11
Men's Best Collars, all shapes and sizes, in Soft and Stiff Collar. Were 1/- each. Sale Price ...... 9d. 8/6 per dozen.
Men's Braces, in strong striped elastic web, with leather ends. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/-
900 Twill Cotton Shirts, cream grounds, in newest Blue, Black, and Helio stripes; absolutely dependable for wash and wear. Finished with double cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17 inch neckbands. To-day's value, 10/6. Sale Price 5/11

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Boys' Jerseys at Half-Price. All Wool Knitted Jerseys, with Polo Collar. Colours: Navy, Brown, Grey, and Green. Were 5/11. Sale Price 2/11
Sale Bargain.—Ladies' rich Artificial Silk Hose, in Black, Nigger, and White Seam Back, and almost silk to knee. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/6
Sale Bargain.—Ladies' All-Wool Black Cashmere Hose. Were 2/11. Sale 1/11
Men's All Wool Cashmere Socks, with coloured clox. Were 3/11. Sale 1/11
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Cotton Vests, plain or crochet tops. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/6
Boys' Knitted Wool Hose, with fancy Turn-over tops. Irish made. Were 2/11. Sale Price, pair 1/6
Men's Merino Undervests and Pants. Were 6/11. Sale each garment 3/11
Sale Bargain — Ladies' Silk-finish, good wearing Cotton Hose; in black, tan, nigger, mole, navy and white. Were 2/11. Pair 1/-
Great Bargain—Men's Wool and Cotton Mixture Undervests and Pants, slightly tossed. Were 6/11. Each garment 3/11
Bargain — Ladies' Knitted Wool Jumpers, in putty, saxe, rose, white, grey. Were 6/11. Sale 3/11
Stockings, seamless, smooth finish, in tan, nigger and mole. Were 1/11. Sale Price, pair ...... 9d.
Sale Bargain—Ladies' Knitted Wool Jumpers, in fawn, champagne, white and mastic, with contrasting stripes. Were 21/-. Sale 10/11
Men's All-Wool Cashmere Socks, with coloured clox. Were 3/11. Sale Price 1/11
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Cotton Vests, plain and crochet tops. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/6

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ALL MODEL HATS REDUCED TO HALF-PRICE.
Special Line in Folding Hats, at 2/11
Also Folding Straw Hats, at 4/11
Smart Trimmed Millinery, from ...... 12/11 to 49/6.
Semi-trimmed, in all leading shades, from ...... 5/11 to 39/6.
Astonishing Bargain—Ladies' Stamped Leather Trapeze Hand Bags, assorted colours, with inside pockets. Were 8/11. Each 4/11
Wonderful Bargain — Army Jack Knives. Were 3/6. Each ...... 7½d.
Wonderful Bargain — Black Morocco Leather Music Cases. Were 7/11 each. Sale Price 5/11
The "Beaucourt" Silver Nickel Lever Watches, French made, with domes. Were 25/-. Bargain Price 15/6

DRESS MATERIALS. Beautiful New Materials, sold under the new policy of Lower Prices and Bigger Variety.

Cream Serge—Special Purchase for cash 36-inch All-Wool Government Serge, 5,000 yards, in a nice heavy quality, suitable for Tennis Shirts, Costumes, etc. Could not be made to sell under 5/6 yard. Special Sale Price, yard 1/11
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3,000 yards Navy and Black Serges—Pure Wool, hard-wearing Serge; fast dye, suitable for Coats, Frocks, Children's Dresses, etc. Was 3/4 yard. Sale price 2/3
Irish Tweeds and Homespuns. Another Wonderful Bargain—Manufacturer's Stock secured at a great sacrifice for Spot Cash. Beautiful quality pure Wool Costume Tweed, in large variety of shades, including greys, browns, heather, purple, and blue mixtures, etc., in plain small check designs. 54 inches wide. Some were 6/11 and 8/11. Offered during Sale, per yard 2/11

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Striped Shirt Blouses.—Wonderful offer of beautifully Tailored Shirt Blouses, with Revers or Adaptable Colours. (An ideal Morning Blouse.) Were 8/11. Clearing at 2/6
Crepe-de-Chine Blouses.—Biggest Bargain ever offered of Crepe-de-Chine Blouses and Jumpers, in a charming variety of colours, daintily trimmed. Were 21/-. Sale Price 10/6
Great Bargain in Stockinette Jumpers. Navy Stockinette Jumpers, beautifully embroidered with steel beads. Were 25/-. Sale Price 10/11
Housemaids' Overalls—Splendid Bargain in Coat-shaped Overdresses, perfect fitting, finished; Revere Collar; Colours: Applegreen, Mauve, Brown, Blue. Were 12/11. Sale Price 6/11
Wonderful Bargains in Dainty Jazz Pattern House Overalls, strong materials, well cut and finished. Were 3/11. Sale Price 2/6
Splendid Bargains in Housemaids' Morning Aprons, full fitting, round bib. Were 4/6. Sale Price 1/11
White Voile Blouses.—Exceptional Bargain in Dainty White Voile Blouses, cut revere collar or round neck; beautifully embroidered. Were 6/11. Sale Price 3/6
Shirt Blouses.—Big Collection of smartly cut Shirt Blouses, in a variety of pretty coloured stripes. Were 7/11. Sale Price 3/11
Special Bargain. — Shirt Blouse, as illustrated, smartly tailored, in pretty stripe Wyncette or cotton Tricoline. Were 10/6. ...... 5/11
Vyella Shirt Blouses—Special Purchase of these smartly tailored Morning Shirts, with deep revere collar, in Cream only. Worth 15/11. Sale 5/11

GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

Clery's Gloves, Famous for Quality, Reduced for the Sale.
Men's Motor Gauntlet Gloves, with thumb only; over 2,000 pairs; strongest American canvas, will wear for years; cost 10/6 a pair to make. Sale Price, a pair 1/-
Over 50 Boxes Ladies' Imitation Reindeer Gloves, 2-Butt. Washable Fabric, in White, Yellow, and Slate only. Were 3/11. Sale Price 1/3
Men's Motor Gauntlet Gloves, Horsehide Leather; over 2,000 pairs still left. Cost 21/- a pair to make. Sale Price, per pair 2/11
28 Dozen of Slate Doe, with self and White scallop gauntlets and white belted fasteners. Were 10/6 ...... 4/11
50 dozen Children's Double-sewn Tan Nappa Gloves, for strong wear. Were 4/6 pair. Sale Price 2/11
Ladies' Gloves—Unique value in 2-butt. Washable Imitation Ibex, in biscuit colour only; soft suede finish. Were 2/11 per pair. Sale Price 1/11
27 Dozen Ladies' White Kid Gloves, with Gauntlets and Magpie points and stitching. Were 6/6. Sale Price, pair 3/11
Amazing Bargain in Men's 1-butt. Washable Yellow Chamois Gloves, pique-sewn. Were 6/6 pair. Sale Price 3/11
Large Gauntlets, Double Sewn Deerskin, with Roller Strap Fasteners, in Slate. Were 13/6. Sale Price 4/11
80 boxes of 2-Butt. best Washable Lisle, in tan and grey only. Were 2/6. Sale Price 1/-
65 dozen 2-Butt. Real Nappa, in tan only. Were 5/11. Sale Price 3/6
Astounding Bargain in 2-Butt. Washable Yellow Doe. Were 5/6. Clearing at 2/11
Wonderful Bargain in 3-Butt. Kid, in nigger and tan, with self and white stitching and points. Were 4/11 ...... 2/6
Amazing Bargain.—40 Dozen of White Kid, with gauntlets, magpie stitching and points. Were 6/6. Sale Price 3/11
Men's Strong Heavy Leather Gloves, with sac wrists, for real hard wear; specially suitable for motorist and chauffeur. Were 10/6 pair. Sale Price 4/11
Astounding Value.—Men's 1-butt. Black Kid, sound skins, well cut and sewn. Were 10/6 per pair. Sale 1/11

RIBBON DEPARTMENT BARGAINS.

Wonderful Bargain in wide Silk or Satin Sash or Hair Ribbon, in all lovely colours, also Black and Navy. Worth 2/11 per yard. Sale Price, yard ...... 10½d.
A Special Offer of Black Cire Ribbon, 1½ inches wide. Was 1/-. Sale, Yard ...... 4½d.
3 Inches Wide. Was 1/6. Sale, Yard ...... 7d.
Beautiful Chine Ribbon, all colours, for spring wear; 6" deep. Sale Price, per yard 1/3
Wonderful Variety in 1-inch wide Hat Trimming Ribbons, every colouring. Sale Price, per yard ...... 2½d. 3d. and 4½d.
Ribbon—Beautiful wide Cire Ribbon, in all shades per yard 1/3
The Bargain of the Moment—Two widths in Stiff Corded Petersham Ribbon, in all colours. Makes beautiful hats. 3" wide 3½d. Yd. 4" wide 5½d. Yd.
Beautiful Broche Ribbon, in navy, brown, fuchsia, rose, beaver, Royal, saxe, black, with shot gold or silver effects, suitable for Bag Making. Was 17/6. Sale, yard 4/11
Wide Black/White Check Ribbon, suitable for millinery. Yd. ...... 6½d.

BARGAINS IN SILKS. 27,000 YARDS FRENCH SILKS.

Silk Stockinette—A most Wonderful Bargain. Manufacturer's stock secured at a great sacrifice for Spot Cash, and now offered at an almost ridiculous price. About 2,000 yds. in Stripe and Plain Weave, double width, 38-40 inches. Sale Price, per yard 4/11
About 5,000 yards Natural Shantung Silk—Great value for Wash Frocks, etc.; 34 inches wide. Was 5/6 yard. Sale Price, yard 2/11
6,000 Yards Schappe Crepe—Beautiful All-Silk Crepe, in 20 Lovely Colourings. Perfect Washing Fabric; 38-40 inches wide. Was 10/6. Sale Price 4/6
Another Great Bargain.—2,500 Yards Pure Silk Schappe Stripe, for Summer Dresses, etc.; White Grounds, Various Stripes; Magnificent Washing and Wearing Qualities. 30 inches wide. Sale Price 3/11
1,000 Yards Crepe Georgette, 40" wide, in Lemon, Saxe, Navy, Nigger, White and Purple. Was 3/11 yd. Sale Price, yard 1/9
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Wonderful Bargain—All-Silk Crepe-de-Chine, in 15 lovely shades, 40-in. wide. Was 7/11. Sale 4/11
Marvellous Bargain — Our Standard Crepe-de-Chine—Well-known quality, all shades. Sale Prices, and 9/11. ...... 6/6
Bargain in Rich Silk Foulards—Black, Navy, and Brown grounds; new designs, 40-in. wide. Was 9/- yd. Sale 5/11
Great Bargain—56" Botany Strips Suiting, in Brown and Navy grounds, with white stripes; beautiful quality. 12/11 per yd. Sale Price, yd. 6/11

GIRLS' JUVENILE DEPARTMENT.

Maids' Coats—Great Bargains offered in Maids' Tweed and Gabardine Coats; this season's models, beautifully cut and finished.
Maids' Costumes—Charming selection of Maids' Costumes, newest models, perfectly tailored, at astonishing reductions.
Children's Waterproof School Capes of Superior Quality, with Hood, to fit 4 years to 14 years. Worth 8/11 to 10/11. Sale Price, each 4/11
Children's Millinery — Huge Bargains in Children's Millinery; all this Season's Shapes, Beautifully Trimmed, clearing at ridiculous prices.
Children's Woolies—A gigantic offer of Children's Wool Tunics. Colours: Rose, Saxe, Putty and contrasting shades. Were 5/11. Sale Price 1/11
2,000 Childrens' and Maids' Millinery. All newest styles 3/11
Children's Wool Dresses—Astounding Bargain in beautiful wool frocks for girls, ages 4 to 7 years, in a charming variety of pretty colours. Worth 21/-. Clearing 8/11
Maids' Millinery—Hundreds of beautiful Hats, all this season's shapes, in a large assortment of colours. Were 10/11. Sale Price 3/11
Children's Knickers—Wonderful Bargain in Summer-weight Stockinette Knickers. All colours. Were 2/11. Sale Price, pair ...... 10d.

PHARMACY DEPT. BARGAINS.

In this Department we make up Prescriptions and keep a comprehensive stock of all Patent Medicines, Perfumes and Toilet Requisites. The following are some Special Bargains for next week:—
Whalebone Hair Brushes of extra fine quality and finish. Length of whalebone is about 2 inches. Offered at the wonderful low price of, each 1/11
Genuine Best Gillette Blades, 3/6 per dozen. Each ...... 3½d.
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Remarkable Bargain of Best Clinical Thermometers, ½-minute plain lens, guaranteed. Usual price, 3/-. Sale Price, each 1/2
Wonderful Bargains in Toilet Soap of finest quality, in assorted colours and odours. Sale Price, per tablet ...... 2½d.

MEN'S DEPT.

600 Men's Woven Zephyr Shirts, all white grounds with neat single and double coloured stripe, in black, blue, or mauve, all fast colours; fitted with soft double cuffs and well finished throughout. Sizes 14 to 17 inch neckbands. To-day's value, 8/11. Sale Price 3/11
Men's White Mercerised Handkerchiefs, with assorted fancy borders, also assorted self colours. Were 1/- each, or 5/9 half-dozen. Sale ...... 6d.
Men's Day Shirts, medium weight, flannel finish, cream grounds, and attractive stripes of Blue, Black, and Helio; single cuffs in sizes 14 to 17½. Were 5/11. Sale Price 3/6
Men's Heavy Flannel Day Shirts, cream grounds, in neat blue, black, and mauve stripes. Size 14½ to 16 only. Were 12/6. Sale Price 7/11
Boys' Knitted Ties, in assorted club colours. Were 1/- each. Sale Price ...... 6d.
Men's Knitted Ties, in brown, navy, grey, black, with newest contrasting black stripes. Were 1/11 and 2/6. Sale Price 1/-
Men's Silk Knitted Ties, in latest designs. Were 3/11 and 3/6. Sale Price 1/11
Men's Silk Knitted Ties, in newest self and stripe patterns. Were 4/6 and 5/6. Sale Price 2/11

WONDERFUL UMBRELLA BARGAINS.

Ladies' Militaire Handle Umbrellas, with good bordered Taffeta Cover, Fox Frame, with blonde tips. Were 17/6. Sale Price 10/6
Gents' Crook Handle Umbrellas, steel tube, strong, reliable frame, with bordered Taffeta Cover. Were 12/6. Sale Price 8/11
Ladies' Umbrellas, Silk Mixture, Taffeta Covers, in Black, with strong frames, in newest Militaire handles, with Leather Strap. Were 13/6. Sale Price 7/6

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A large assortment of different Fruits. Sale Price, 1/3 and 1/11. ...... 8½d.
Mixed Bunches of best quality Marguerites. Each 3/6
Wonderful Selection of Superior Lace Berthe Collars. Each 1/11

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Great Bargain. — Men's Grey Flannel Trousers, thoroughly shrunk, belt loops, raised seams, permanent turn-up; sizes 30 to 42 waist. Were 21/-. Sale 7/6
Great Bargain—Boys' Tweed Sports Coats, and open knee Knickers to match. Were 39/6. Sale Price ...... 21/- Fit boys 6 to 14 years.
Great Bargain—Men's Raincoats, self-lined all through, Step and Storm Collar. Were 59/6. Sale 31/6
Great Bargain—Men's Suits, in Brown and Grey Tweeds, two button, seam back, no vent; sizes 34 to 44 in. chest. Were 84/-. Sale Price 45/-
Great Bargains—Boys' Suits, assorted Tweeds, three garments. Fit boys 6 to 14 years. Were 45/-. Sale 25/-
Overcoat Bargains—Suitable for Boys and Girls; fit sizes 3 to 7 years. Were 27/6. Sale Price 15/6
Great Bargain.—Boys' Fancy Tweed Suits, Assorted Shades and Styles; fit boys 2½ to 6 years. Were 39/6. Sale Price 22/6
Others, fit boys 3 to 7 years, at 27/6
Great Bargain—Boys' Tweed Tunic Suits, Various Shades. Were 19/6 and 22/6. Sale Price 13/6
Riding Breeches—Great Bargain Offer in Men's Dark Grey Whipcord Breeches, laced knees. Every size. Were 22/6. Sale Price 12/6
Boys' Washing Suits in dainty bright patterns, made in blouse shape, with knickers buttoned on; fit boys 3 to 7 years. Were 5/11. Sale Price, each 1/11
Great Bargain. — Boys' Odd Knickers, Brown Mixture, open knee; fit boys 3 to 8 ...... 4/11; 9 to 13 years 5/11
Great Bargain.—Boys' D.B. French Coats, Fawn Shade, lined Check, all round belt. Were 22/6. Fit boys 3 to 7 years. Sale ...... 13/6; Also to fit boys 8 to 14 ...... 18/9; Youths 25/-
Youths' Lounge Suits, as illustrated, unsurpassable for fit, trimmings, and workmanship, cut from specially selected Tweeds, in a large variety of colourings. Bargain Prices, 63/-, 50/-, and 42/-
Boys' Suits—Marvellous Bargains—Three garments; coat half belt, knickers open knee. All pure wool. Fit boys 3 to 12 years. Were 32/-. Sale Price 15/6
Great Bargain—Men's Sports Coats, all-wool hand-woven Irish Tweeds, made with three patch pockets and 2 inverted pleats, to give ease and freedom. Were 35/-. Sale Price 20/-
Great Bargain—Men's Waterproof Coats, double-breasted, with belt all round. Were 42/-. Sale 15/6
Men's Knitted Ties, in Brown, Navy, Grey, Black, with newest contrasting bar stripes. Were 1/11 and 2/6. Sale Price 1/-

HAT BARGAINS.

Men's Soft Felt Hats, Plain and Rough Felts, in Brown, Grey, and Fawn Shades. Size 6½ to 7½. Were 12/6. Sale Price 6/6
Men's Pure Soft Hats, New Shape, with Brim in Medium and Dark Grey. Were 16/6. Sale Price 10/6
Men's Pure Fur Rough Felt Hats, with Plain Brim; can be worn up or down; in New Grey, Slate and Brown Shades. Splendid Wearing Hats. Were 18/6. Sale Price 12/6
Men's Real Velour Hats, in Light Fawn, with Dark Brown Contrasting Band, Plain Edge Brim, Silk Lined. Were 30/-. Bargain Price 9/11
Men's Tweed Caps, new one-piece crowns, in latest patterns of Donegal, Fleecy, and Herringbone Cloths, in Light and Dark Greys, Green Mixture, Blue, Green, Brown, and Grey Checks. Worth 4/6 each. Sale Price 2/11
Boys' Caps, Large Shape, in Newest Grey Mixture. Were 2/11. Sale Price 1/9
Gent's Real Velour Hats, Newest Shades of Mouse, Dark Grey and Natural, Silk Lined. Smart shapes. Were 30/-. Sale Price 17/6
Great Bargain in Men's Tweed Hats in dark and light Donegal, Glen Green, Check, and Dark Green Irish Tweeds and Grey Fleece Herringbone patterns, fitted with self band and well finished. Were 10/6. Sale Price 3/6

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Dancing, 8-11 p.m. (Evening Dress), under the direction of Mr T. Leggett Byrne.
TICKETS 5/-

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METROPOLE BALLROOM,
FRIDAY, 4th MAY, 1923.
MR. W. A. MANAHAN'S BAND.
TICKETS, 17/6
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DANCING 9 p.m. to 3 a.m.
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THREE LECTURES ON
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BY
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On APRIL 30th, MAY 1st, and MAY 2nd,
At 4 o'clock.
Lantern Illustrations. Admission 1/-.
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Madame K. McCAFFERY has Resumed Lessons at 26 OAKLANDS PARK, BALLSBRIDGE.
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Co-Optimists Band. Tickets at office.

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GREAT SOUTHERN & WESTERN RAILWAY.
LIMERICK RACES,
2nd and 3rd MAY.

On Wednesday, 2nd May, a Special Train will run as under:—

		Return Fares to Limerick.	
	a.m.	1st Class.	3rd Class.
Kingsbridge ....dep.	8.45	40/-	20/-
Kildare .... „	9.30		
Maryborough .... „	10. 0	30/-	15/-
Thurles .... „	11. 0	15/-	7/6
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Tickets, available for return on either date by ordinary train (Express Mail excepted), or by Special Train leaving Limerick for Kingsbridge at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 3rd May.

On each day of the Races return tickets at single fare and one-third will be issued to Limerick from Ennis, Charleville, Listowel, Foynes, Limerick Junction, Nenagh, and intermediate stations, available for return on either date.

E. A. NEALE, General Manager.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, April, 1923.

GREAT SOUTHERN AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

TRAIN ALTERATIONS,
MAY, 1923.

On and from TUESDAY, 1st MAY, the following Alterations will come into force:—

The 11.50 a.m. Mallow to Kingsbridge will be altered to leave at 11.35 a.m.

The 10.15 a.m. Cork to Mallow will be altered to leave at 10.0 a.m.

The 8.45 a.m. Youghal to Cork will be altered to leave at 8.30 a.m.

The 9.10 a.m. Cobh (Queenstown) to Cork will be altered to leave at 9.0 a.m.

The 11.0 a.m. Limerick to Waterford will be altered to leave at 11.25 a.m.

The 1.25 p.m. Cashel to Goold's Cross will be altered to leave at 1.15 p.m.

The 4.15 p.m. Maryborough to Waterford will be altered to leave at 6.30 p.m.

The 4.0 p.m. Maryboro' to Mountmellick to be 6.35 p.m.

The 2.45 p.m. Mountmellick to Maryboro' will cease to run.

The 3.0 p.m. Tuam to Limerick will cease to run beyond Athenry.

A new train will leave Tuam for Limerick at 4.30 p.m.

The 4.10 p.m. Athenry to Tuam will be altered to leave at 6.35 p.m.

The 10.0 a.m. Cork to Youghal to be altered to leave at 9.50 a.m.

A new train will leave Cork for Cobh (Queenstown) at 6.50 p.m.

A new train will leave Cobh (Queenstown) for Cork at 7.0 p.m.

E. A. NEALE, General Manager.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, April, 1923.

SERMONS.

BRIGHTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.
11.30 a.m.—Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
4 p.m.—CHILDREN'S SERVICE—Closing Meeting and Prize Distribution.
7 p.m.—Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
BOYS' BRIGADE PARADE SERVICE.
Special Address to Boys and Young Men.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.
11.30 a.m.—The Easter Hope in St. Paul's Letters. 5—The Resurrection of the Body. Anthem—"The Trumpet Shall Sound" (Handel). 7 p.m.—The Story of Nain. Preacher—Rev. J. F. Moncrieff Cox, B.D.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH
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Preacher at 11, 12 noon, and 7;
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POPULAR EVANGELISTIC SERVICE
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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL
6.45. .... TWICE NIGHTLY. .... 9.0.
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LEGGETT BYRNE MATINEES,
TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, at 2.30.
ALL DRESS CIRCLE SEATS AND BOXES BOOKED FOR TO-MORROW.
Secure seats early for TO-DAY.

TIVOLI (6.45 and 9. Tel 4125) THEATRE
THE ACKROYD QUARTETTE
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Sisters Vesta, Alman Correze, Eileen Hayden, Hal Joy, Ivy and Jack, LOUPE and LADIES.

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THURSDAY NEXT, 8 to 12.
ADELAIDE MELODY BAND.
T. LEGGETT BYRNE. Phone.—1815.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.
THE ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING
Of the above Institution will be held on MONDAY, the 30th APRIL, 1923, at the Offices, 40 MOLESWORTH STREET, DUBLIN, At 4.30 p.m.
The Committee will be glad to see any friends who are interested in the work of the Institution.
The Chair will be taken by
SIR MAURICE DOCKRELL, D.L., J.P.
BUSINESS.—To present Reports from Committee and Medical Superintendent, with Statement of Accounts for year ending 31st December, 1922.

GREAT WAR EX-OFFICERS' CLUB.
A General Meeting of all interested in the formation of this Club will be held at Kidd's Restaurant (entrance Adam's Court, Grafton street), at 5.30 o'clock, May 10th, General Sir Bryan Mahon, C.B., D.S.O., presiding.
All interested are cordially invited. Communications may be addressed to Hon. Sec., Provisional Committee, 24 South Frederick street, Dublin.

TAXATION OF BETTING.
IMPORTANT MEETING TO BE HELD IN DUBLIN
In connection with the Proposal to Tax Betting in the Free State, a Meeting of Book Makers, including those who control S.P. Offices and Outside Book Makers will be held in Dublin after the Louth Hunt Meeting, next week, to consider a scheme.
The time and place of Meeting will be announced later.
D. O'M. LEAHY.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
NOTICE PUBLISHING TIME AND PLACE OF AUDIT.
Notice is hereby given that the Audit of the Accounts of the above-named Council for the financial periods ended 31st March, 1920 and 1921, will be opened in the Municipal Buildings, Lord Edward street, by Adhamhnan MacFhionnlaoich and Proinnsias MacBearnaird Local Government Auditors, on the 8th day of May, 1923, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., when and where objections to any matter contained in the said several accounts will be heard. The accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the Audit.
Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office,
Lord Edward street, Dublin. K.A.A.

URBAN DISTRICT OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR.
RATES NOTICE
For Rates made April 27th, 1923 for year ending 31st March, 1924.
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.
Notice is hereby given that the Urban District Council of Rathmines and Rathgar have this day made, under the provisions of the following Acts:—Rathmines and Rathgar Improvements Acts, 1847, 1862, and 1866; the Rathmines and Pembroke Main Drainage Act, 1877; the Public Health (Ireland) Acts, 1878 to 1912; the Milltown Extension Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Water Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Improvement Acts, 1885, 1892, 1893, 1897, and 1902; the Public Libraries Acts, 1855 and 1877; the Agricultural and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899; the Public Parks Act, 1869, and Acts incorporated therewith; the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898; the Local Government Board (Ireland) Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act, 1900; the Dublin, Rathmines and Rathgar, and Pembroke Equalisation of Rates Act, 1901; and other Acts in force within the district, authorising expenditure for Public Health and other sanitary purposes—the following rates in the £:—
URBAN DISTRICT RATE .... 9s. 4d.
POOR RATE, or collectable as such .... 8s. 11d.
The Rate Book is now in my custody, and a duplicate thereof, as far as Poor Rate is concerned, has been transmitted by me to the Clerk of the Dublin Union, and may be inspected by any person affected thereby at the Council or Union Offices, on any day between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. (Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.), exclusive of Sundays and Bank Holidays, and the said Rates will be payable from and after the publication of this Notice.
Signed this 27th day of April, 1923.
SEACOME MASON, Clerk of the Council.
Town Hall, Rathmines. K.A.A.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.
ELECTION FOR MALE PATIENTS.
There will be an Election at the Hospital on TUESDAY, the 15th day of May, 1923, at 9.30 o'clock a.m., for Male Patients.
Forms of Application for Admission may be had at the Hospital.
N.B.—The Forms must be sent to the Hospital, completed and signed by the Applicant, on or before Friday, the 4th day of May, 1923, which will be the last day for the Medical Examination of Applicants at the Hospital.
(By Order),
JOHN J. THOMPSON, Registrar.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT.
Take Notice that I have made application to the Registrar of Clubs, Metropolitan Police Court, Inns quay, Dublin, for a Certificate of Registration to the "Irish Times" Staff Club, Irish Rugby Union Grounds, Lansdowne road, Dublin.
(Signed), J. T. O'DOCKERY.
Hon. Sec.
April 26th, 1923.

SERMONS.

ST. VINCENT'S GIRLS' ORPHANAGE,
NORTH WILLIAM STREET
(Under the care of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul).
On SUNDAY NEXT,
APRIL 29, 1923,
The VERY REV. F. M. BROWNE, S.J.,
Will Preach a
CHARITY SERMON
In aid of this Orphanage, after the First Gospel of the last Mass, at
ST. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, DOMINICK STREET
Another Appeal will be made in
ST. PETER'S, PHIBSBOROUGH,
And
ST. AGATHA'S, NORTH WILLIAM STREET,
For the same meritorious purpose.

THE BEST WEEK-END PAPER FOR DUBLIN People is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Last Edition on Sale every Saturday Morning. Price Twopence.

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THE COLLEGE WILL (D.V.) RE-OPEN ON
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All boys must be in attendance before 8.30 p.m.
FOUR ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS, value £50, £40, £30 and £25 per annum, tenable for four years, are offered for competition in June to candidates under 14 years of age. Entries must reach the Warden before June 1st, and particulars will be forwarded on request.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE, DUBLIN.
Headmaster—A. S. M. IMRIE, M.A., B.Sc.
SCHOLARSHIPS.
An Examination for three Open Scholarships and one "Wilson Saffern" Open Entrance Scholarship will be held at the College on 31st MAY and 1st JUNE. Candidates must be 12 years of age, but must not have passed their 15th year on 1st June, 1923.
Entry Forms, with information regarding conditions and subjects of examination, may be had on application to the Headmaster.

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MARGARET STOKES MEMORIAL LECTURES.

Three lectures on Ancient Irish Manuscripts will be given at Alexandra College, Dublin (under the Margaret Stokes Memorial Trust), on the afternoons of Monday, April 30th; Tuesday, May 1st, and Wednesday, May 2nd, at 4 o'clock. The lecturer for this series is the Rev. H. J. Lawlor, D.D., Litt.D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History in the University of Dublin. The lectures will be fully illustrated with lantern slides. The opening lecture on Monday will treat of the beginning of Christian learning and art in Ireland, the Cathach of St. Columba, and the Book of Durrow. At this lecture the chair will be taken by the Provost of Trinity College.

Strabane Urban District Council has struck a rate of 11s. in the £, a reduction of 5d.

Rev. Edwyn H. P. Spooner, a retired clergyman, residing at Scarborough, died suddenly yesterday whilst attending a Communion Service at St. Martin's Church, Swansea.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Mr. de Valera has issued his peace proposals. He mentions that as an evidence of good-will agressive action is to cease not later than Monday, April 30th.

At a meeting of the Cumann na n-Gaedheal—the new organisation which has been formed to support the Government's policy—last night Mr. Cosgrave and other Ministers gave an account of their stewardship.

Spiddal House, the Galway residence of Lord Killanin, and Durrow Abbey, Tullamore, the residence of Mr. Ottway Graham Toler, have been destroyed by armed incendiaries.

The Grand Central Cinema, Sackville street, Dublin, was partially wrecked by the explosion of a land mine yesterday morning.

At the meeting of the Dublin Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society yesterday testimony was borne to the splendid work of the members during the past twenty years.

Arrangements have been made for the return of arms which were surrendered in Ireland to the British authorities.

Haulbowline Dockyard was attacked for two hours with machine gun and rifle fire on Friday morning. No casualties are reported.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Bonar Law, with the King's approval and on his doctor's advice, is going on a sea voyage. He will return to England in time for the meeting of Parliament after the Whitsuntide recess.

SPORTING.

Greek Bachelor, an Irish-bred colt, won the Tudor Stakes at Sandown Park.

COMMERCIAL.

Only restricted business was done on the London Stock Exchange yesterday.

Mr. de Valera's Offer.

Mr. de Valera and his Chief of Staff have ordered all persons who are now in arms against the Free State to "suspend aggressive action" as from noon on Monday next. This part, at least, of the document which we publish to-day is quite clear, and everybody will hope that the suspension of bloodshed and destruction may be, in fact, the end of them. What Mr. de Valera offers for the moment, however, is only a truce pending proposed negotiations for a final cessation of hostilities, and the body of his document sets forth his suggested basis of negotiation. Unfortunately, in this vital matter he has failed to realise the necessity of plain and direct language. We confess that, after a very careful study of Mr. de Valera's proposals, we are not in a position to enlighten our readers because we have been unable to enlighten ourselves. The two opening clauses may be interpreted to mean either that he now accepts the *fait accompli* of the Free State or that he continues to reject it. The third clause seems to imply that Mr. de Valera is really ready to submit himself to the people's will. It accepts the people as the ultimate court of appeal and declares that, even if their decision at a general election is unjust, it ought not to be resisted by violent means. Yet in the fourth clause Mr. de Valera claims that men must be free to sit in the nation's Parliament even if they refuse to take the oath of allegiance to the national Constitution. This claim obscures the whole purport of the proposals.

If, as Mr. de Valera says, he desires "a speedy and just ending to the present national troubles," the way is easy and simple. By submitting himself and his followers unreservedly to the will of the people he can have permanent peace within the next twenty-four hours. Such submission is, in his own words, "the democratic alternative to arbitrament by force," and no pains or penalties will be attached to it. It is, we believe, the earnest wish of the vast majority of citizens of the Free State that the end of this miserable and costly strife shall represent a true amnesty. The only necessity which the Republican Party is required to recognise is the necessity of obedience to the Free State so long as that State is the political and material embodiment of the people's will. A general election must be held before the end of this year, and at the first Convention of *Cumann na nGaedheal* yesterday Ministers spoke as if they felt that their term of office was drawing to a close. To-morrow Mr. de Valera and his followers may turn themselves into law-abiding citizens, and a few months hence they may invite the constituencies to upset the Free State and to establish a Republic. If the electors are prepared to accept the consequences, Mr. de Valera will have won by votes what he has failed to win by violence. What the consequences would be is, of course, as Mr. Kipling says, "another story." This, however, is the severe logic of the situation, and Mr. de Valera, being a logician, ought to accept it.

In the meanwhile the Free State holds the field; and its Government is the responsible guardian of the people's lives and property and peace. In its fulfilment of that weighty trust there are two things which the Government cannot do. It cannot make any terms which would compromise the security of the State and it cannot tolerate the existence of outrage and disorder. There is one thing, however, which it can do, and ought to do: it can remove every removable obstacle from the path of settlement. These two "cannots" and one "can" must govern its attitude to Mr. de Valera's overture. By them it must test the feasibility of his proposed basis of negotiation. By them also it must be influenced in its response to the country's longing for action that will hasten the return of peace. It will be the universal hope to-day that the "offensive operations" to which Mr. de Valera has called a halt may not be renewed at all. No doubt, some reply, formal or informal, will be made immediately to the Republican proclamation; and everybody knows what the gist of that reply must be—a re-statement of the terms on which the Government will accept the submission of those who still carry arms against it. Nevertheless, the manner of that restatement may decide the limit of the ruinous campaign of disorder. It is the Government's duty *pacis imponere morem*; but to-day, of these three words, the last is hardly less important than the other two.

Education and the Farm.

The current number of *The Irish Homestead* contains ten special articles on agricultural education in Ireland which ought to be read by every Irishman who has the future welfare of his country at heart. No matter what progress may be made in industrial development, Ireland is, and must remain, an agricultural country *par excellence*. Factories may be built, mine shafts may be sunk, schemes of water-power may reduce the nation's dependence on imported coal; but in the long run the touchstone of the Free State's economic prosperity will be the measure of its agricultural progress. The writers in *The Irish Homestead* declare that a healthy agricultural economy can be produced in Ireland only through the medium of education, and to that end they suggest various ways in which the State can foster the nation's staple industry. All the writers are sons of farmers, and, although idealists, their upbringing has given them severely practical ideas. They want agriculture to play a far greater part in the education of the young Irish citizen than it has played in the past. They agree, very wisely, as we think, that no attempt should be made to introduce vocational training into the system of primary schools; but in the secondary schools, and, above all, in the universities and higher training colleges they urge that agriculture and its ancilliary subjects shall be encouraged as much as possible. In the primary schools boys and girls ought to be given the foundations of a good general education, on which afterwards the superstructure of vocational training can be built. An agricultural bias can be given to children at this stage by the use of rural readers and of object-lessons which are chosen from farming topics; and then in the secondary schools they can get a sound scientific training not only, as in the past, in the rudiments of chemistry and physics, as such, but also in their application to agricultural problems. Finally, the writers attach the utmost importance to the development of the College of Science. In this institution the Free State possesses an asset of almost inestimable value, and, as *The Irish Homestead* says, it must form the apex of any scheme for agricultural education in the future. The need for agricultural education is obvious. Denmark, a country only one-third of Ireland's size, has won world supremacy, not on account of any natural advantages, but simply because the Danes recognised the value of agricultural education while the pioneers of the movement in Ireland were fighting a lone hand to overcome the prejudices of centuries. The result is that, for instance, the average yield of Irish dairy herds is about two hundred gallons below the Danish average. *The Irish Homestead* is pointing the way to a better condition of affairs, and we hope that when the excursions and alarums of political turmoil have died down the Free State Government will adopt the broad outlines of the educational scheme which is sketched so ably by its contributors. At any rate, the proposals are worthy of the closest study. They are purely constructive, and they have the further great advantage of being cheap.

Bores.

Ready-to-wear precepts for ensuring matrimonial harmony have been uttered by more than one famous man of letters without exhaustion of the subject. In adding his mite Mr. W. L. George, the novelist, runs no risk of making married life the dull business that it might become if spouses always were as agreeable to each other as the preceptors urge. Mr. George attempts nothing sweeping. "Do not bore one another," he cautiously advises—sublimely unaware that human beings, including novelists, spend most of their time in boring other people. The world is full of tediously talkative young men, and, the more active are their brains, the more tiresome they become. Talking is with them the audible manifestation of egomania. The old are equally boring, but the prolixity and repetition of age are less exasperating because we feel that there is no help for it. We shall be like that ourselves some day. If men, young or old, should discourse to their wives in the way in which they hold forth, when permitted, to their neighbours, the Divorce Court would have to work in three eight-hour shifts. They seldom make the attempt, however; and when husbands bore their wives it is by making them do, rather than hear, tedious things. Women, except those with a mission in life, seldom bore men in the positive sense; but, since it is a woman's business in life to entertain her husband, she must accept the responsibility if she leaves him alone to be bored by himself. It can be seen readily that Mr. George's advice, far from being a handy guide to connubial bliss, is a counsel of perfection.

An American Lawyer.

The call to the English Bar of Mr. J. M. Beck, the United States Solicitor-General, establishes a precedent in the annals of Anglo-American comity. Many Americans have been called to the English Bar; for, unlike most countries, Great Britain admits the citizens of any nation, who choose to qualify in the ordinary way, to practise in her courts. Mr. Beck, however, though he is already an Honorary Bencher of Gray's Inn—a distinction which he received in recognition of his services to the Allies in the early days of the war—has not qualified in the ordinary way. He has eaten no dinners and has passed no examinations; and, indeed, it would be a very unusual thing that a United States Cabinet Minister should undertake these preliminaries. Mr. Beck has been called to the English Bar for the very practical reason that, in certain litigation which will arise in the near future in the House of Lords, the United States Government is anxious to be represented by its own counsel. Two courses were open. Mr. Beck could have been associated with English counsel on motion, as happens frequently in lawsuits in which foreigners are interested. The propriety of this course in the case of the Law Officer of a foreign Government seemed to be doubtful. Mr. Beck's formal admission to the English Bar was not only a satisfactory solution of the difficulty, but gave England the opportunity of paying a graceful compliment to one who has proved himself at all times a good friend and, in critical times, a doughty champion.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of Westminster are in residence at Eaton Hall, where they will entertain a large house party for Chester races. The Dowager Duchess of Roxburghe and her son-in-law and daughter, Colonel and Lady Evelyn Collins, have arrived in London for the season. The Duchess of Grafton has left Euston Hall, Thetford, for London, where she will remain for a couple of weeks.

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Earl Howe is sixty-two to-day. He succeeded his father, the third Earl, in 1900, and held many appointments at Court during the reigns of Queen Victoria and King Edward. Since 1903 he has been Lord Chamberlain to Queen Alexandra. By his first marriage with Lady Georgiana Spencer-Churchill, who died in 1906, he has one son, Viscount Curzon, and in 1919 he married, secondly, the widow of the second Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, and daughter of Mr. John Davis, of New York.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Hartington have arrived in London from Chatsworth. The Marchioness of Londonderry returned to Londonderry House on Wednesday from the Continent. The Hon. Lady Bailey, who spent the winter in South Africa, has arrived in London.

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The Marquis of Crewe has benefited greatly by his stay at Cannes. With the Marchioness of Crewe he started on Thursday morning by motor car for Avignon. Thence they will continue their journey by road to Lyons, where they will join the express train for Paris.

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The Earl of Dudley will leave Brighton next week for France, and will spend most of the summer at his villa at Le Touquet. Lady Alston left Southampton yesterday on the R.M.S.P. Andes for Buenos Ayres, to join her husband, Sir Beilby Alston, British Minister to the Argentine Republic. Lord and Lady Huntingfield are staying at The Hague, but will return next week to their place in Suffolk.

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To-day Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bisshop Harmsworth celebrate their silver wedding. Mr. Harmsworth is the second brother of the late Viscount Northcliffe and brother of Viscount Rothermere, and his wife is the daughter of Mr. William Hamilton Maffett, formerly of St. Helena, Finglas. They have two sons and one daughter, and they reside in England, having a house in London, as well as a place at Henley-on-Thames.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will take place (at 2.15 p.m.) on Wednesday, May 16, at the Church of the Annunciation, Bryanston street, W., between Captain F. P. R. Nichols, M.C., elder son of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Nichols, of 7 Mountlands, Taunton, and Evelyn Aubre, only daughter of the late Mr. Oswald B. Maffett, D.L., R.I.C., and Mrs. Maffett, of 19 Adelaide street, Kingstown, Co. Dublin.

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Dr. L. G. Gunn has left 43 Fitzwilliam square for one week.

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Mr. Winder has left 36 Merrion square until May 22nd.

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Arrivals.—Miss Purser, Miss A. Purser, Arthur Donnelly, Miss Cusack, James Lardner, K.C.; James Mahony.

Departures.—Right Hon. Sir A. Beattie, John D. Wallis, John Clayburn, Dr. E. Burns, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Larchet, Miss M. E. Harman, Miss A. G. Keralake, W. Keralake, Miss M. Coffey, Mrs. D. J. Coffey, Miss Ruth Beatty, W. R. Burgess, V. Williams, Mrs. G. Malcolm Graham, F. M. Graham, A. Williams, Miss Daphne Walsh, B. Williams, Mrs. Bowesman, G. Bowesman.

Superb window exhibit of Costumes, Frocks, and Millinery this week at McBirney's.

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Miss Millar, our Millinery Buyer, has again returned from the Markets.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

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LATE LORD CARNARVON.

REMAINS BROUGHT HOME FOR INTERMENT.

The remains of the late Earl of Carnarvon arrived at Highclere Station, Berks, yesterday afternoon by special train from Plymouth. The widow and Lady Evelyn Herbert travelled with the body, and they were met by the new Earl. The proceedings were strictly private.

The coffin was conveyed by motor to the mortuary chapel in Highclere Park, where it will repose until the funeral on Monday, when the interment will take place on Beacon Hill, the most prominent landmark in the locality.

HISTORIC SCHOOL.

USE OF MUNIFICENT GIFT TO GREENWICH HOSPITAL.

It is officially announced that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, acting in their private capacity as trustees of Greenwich Hospital, have decided to remove the Royal Hospital School from Greenwich to a site on the estate of Holbrook in Suffolk, recently presented to Greenwich Hospital by Mr. G. S. Reade, as a token of his admiration for the services rendered by the Navy in the Great War.

Mr. Reade's munificent gift of his family estate has provided, free of cost, an admirable site on which to rebuild the historic school on modern lines, under the essential conditions of country air and ample space for playing fields.

There will be no charge on public funds in connection with the change, as the cost of erecting the new school will be met wholly out of the charitable funds of Greenwich Hospital.

RETURN OF ARMS

SURRENDERED TO BRITISH MILITARY.

It is officially announced from the Colonial Office that arrangements have been made for the return of arms surrendered in Ireland in accordance with military proclamations, to owners qualified for the possession of such arms.

Owners resident in Great Britain and Northern Ireland who desire the return of such weapons, and who are in possession of the necessary licences and certificates, should apply in the first intance to the Secretary of the War Office, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1. Such applications should be accompanied by a full description of the guns, etc., surrendered, together with a copy of the receipt received from the military or police authorities at the time they were handed in for safe custody.

Owners resident in the Free State who are in possession of the necessary authority should apply in the first instance to the Ministry of Defence, Dublin.

In cases where it has been ascertained that guns, etc., so surrendered have been lost or cannot be traced, applications for compensation, which must be accompanied by a copy of the receipt issued to the owner on surrender, and by evidence that the owner is duly authorised to have the arms in his possession, may be addressed to the Under Secretary of State, Colonial Office (Irish branch), 38 Old Queen street, London, S.W. 1.

MR. ART O'BRIEN'S CASE.

The English Court of Appeal has not yet fixed a date for delivering judgment upon the application for a writ of *habeas corpus* in the case of Mr. Art O'Brien, who was arrested in London, and at present is interned in the Irish Free State.

WORK FOR ALL.

LABOUR PARTY'S PLAN TO SECURE IT.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Friday.

A bill, which Mr. William Graham described as "a modest attempt on the part of the Labour Party to do something to decrease the volume of unemployment," came before the House of Commons this afternoon. The measure, which had the backing of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mr. Clynes, and other members of the Opposition bench, sought to confer certain additional powers on the Ministry of Labour, and on local authorities, which would enable them, in the view of the hon. member for Central Edinburgh, to tackle the problem of unemployment in a more scientific and practical way.

The main principle of the bill, said Mr. Graham, was the enabling of the State and the local authorities to regularise the demand for labour throughout the country, the preventing of overlapping, and a provision which would secure, as far as possible, that contracts calling for labour should be spread evenly over a period of years. The great thing, he said, was to anticipate acute periods of unemployment, and be prepared with better schemes than the emergency relief measures which had been made to stink in the nostrils of the people.

Sir W. Sugden, the Unionist member for a Lancashire constituency, was not hopeful that the bill would do anything to regularise industry, especially agriculture and textile, and said that it could be applied only under a full-blooded system of Socialism. The first and most vital necessity in solving the unemployment problem was, in his opinion, more definite co-operation between employers and employed.

The Conservative members generally were opposed to the bill, but there were one or two prepared to assent to the measure going to a committee upstairs, where it could be examined in all its aspects.

The Minister of Labour himself was uncompromising in his attitude against the bill. Though speaking for the Government, he intimated that it was proposed to leave the fate of the measure to a free vote of the House. In saying this, he was not to be understood as promising that facilities would be given for the further progress of the bill which, in his opinion, would wholly fail to secure the object which the Labour Party had in view.

Mr. Clynes complained of the attitude of the Government, which was neither yes nor no. This bill, he said, was not Socialism, and he quite failed to understand the objection taken to it.

The bill, on a division, was thrown out by 166 votes to 142.

MR. BONAR LAW

GOING ON A SEA VOYAGE.

The *Court Circular* states that Mr. Bonar Law had an audience of the King last evening.

Mr. Bonar Law, with the King's approval, is leaving immediately on a short sea voyage. He will return before the meeting of Parliament after the Whitsuntide recess, when his medical advisers, on whose advice he is acting, assure him that there is every reason to suppose that his voice will be completely restored.

In Mr. Bonar Law's absence the House of Commons will be led by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Stanley Baldwin.

Complete arrangements for the Prime Minister's departure have not yet been made, but he will probably set out on his search for health early next week.

MRS. STARR HONOURED.

ROYAL APPRECIATION OF "HEROIC ENDEAVOUR."

SIMLA, Friday.

The King has approved the award of the Kaisar-I-Hind Gold Medal to Mrs. Starr.

The decoration, instituted in 1900, is for eminent public services.

The Viceroy of India has received the following telegram from the Secretary of State for India:—"The King and Queen have learned with deep interest and admiration of the service rendered by Mrs. Starr in the rescue of Miss Ellis from the hands of her mother's murderers. Their Majesties share the feeling of horror to which the brutal crime of Kohat gave rise, and are greatly relieved to know that Mrs. Starr's heroic endeavour has been crowned with success.

"The fearless devotion with which she has carried through her quest will long be an encouragement and an inspiration."—(Reuter.)

TRADE OF BELFAST.

IMPORT AND EXPORT RETURNS.

The export and import returns for the Port of Belfast for the three months ending 31st March have been issued by the Belfast Harbour Commissioners. A feature of the returns is the increase in the number of iron and steel plates imported compared with the same three months last year, which reflects the improved position in the shipbuilding industry. The quantity of plates increased from 6,941 tons to 10,966 tons, and wrought and bar iron and steel imported from 6,889 tons to 14,062 tons. The imports of flax increased from 2,358 tons to 4,188 tons, and the linen exports from 9,294 tons to 10,497 tons.

The exports of ropes advanced from 415 tons to 572 tons, and the associated twine exports more than doubled—viz., 41 tons, compared with 97 tons for the past three months. There is also an increase in the amount of manufactured tobacco exported, the figures being 825 tons, compared with 995 tons since the 1st January last. Butter exports declined from 109 to 69 tons, and there was a very big decline in the export of potatoes—8,733 tons, compared with 43,907 tons last year. Agriculture produce generally shows a smaller export, but there were 32,598 head of cattle exported, compared with only 20,327 for the same period last year.

OBITUARY.

MR. THOMAS J. NICHOLL.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Thomas J. Nicholl, of Avoca Lodge, Blackrock, and 9 Great Brunswick street, Dublin, will be read with regret by a wide circle of friends. The head of one of the leading firms of coal merchants in Dublin, Mr. Nicholl was known and respected by the entire business community of the city, and, although failing health prevented him from taking an active interest in public affairs during recent years, he was for a considerable time a valued member of the Blackrock Urban Council. He was closely connected with the Methodist Church, and took a deep interest in all its activities, especially the work amongst the young, having been the superintendent of the Blackrock Sunday School for over forty years.

Mr. Nicholl, who had reached the ripe age of 83 years, spent his early business life in Belfast, and came to Dublin about fifty years ago. He was held in high esteem by his brethren of the Masonic Order, acted as Treasurer to his Lodge, and reached the high rank of Prince Mason many years ago. He leaves a widow and four sons.

TEST OF CONFORMITY.

ARCHBISHOP OF YORK AND PRAYER BOOK REVISION.

Referring to the subject of Prayer Book revision in his address to the York Diocesan Conference yesterday, the Archbishop of York declared that there must be a full and careful revision, saying that it was 260 years ago since such a task was attempted, and that revision was long overdue.

As to the changes necessary, the Archbishop said that when the task was completed the result should be such as would enable them to work and live as one body. Regarding the necessary principle of authority and law, it was impossible to know what changes would stand the test of conformity to the needs and the life of the Church, except by using them.

Viscount Younger was unanimously elected chairman of the Carlton Club yesterday morning, in succession to the Earl of Kintore.

LONDON LETTER

BY AIR TO DUBLIN.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

The De Havilland aeroplane which carried the photographs of the Royal wedding from London to Dublin for the *Irish Times* was of the type known as the D.H. 9. Towards the end of the war machines of this description were used by the Royal Air Force for the purpose of long bombing raids. It is a speedy two-seater, and has proved as successful for commercial aviation as it was for military operations. The D.H. 9 was also employed in France by the United States Air Force, which fitted it with the American "Liberty" engine, most of the machines used by the R.A.F. and by commercial aviation firms being fitted with the Rolls-Royce engine.

The Morning After.

London to-day settled down to ... again after the excitements of yesterday, though there were a great many people in the streets, particularly in the neighbourhood of Westminster. The Abbey authorities, anxious to turn an honest penny for the sake of the restoration funds, are charging for admission to the building, and the charge includes a rather distant inspection of the register signed by so many great personages yesterday afternoon at the Abbey and at Buckingham Palace. There is really little more to see in the Abbey than on ordinary occasions, since the display of gold plate on the Altar has been removed to its safe dwelling place; but the visitors love to picture the scenes of yesterday to themselves, and thanks to the many excellent pictures this they can do with ease.

Press Arrangements.

When the Prince of Wales gets married it is to be hoped that the State departments, whose duty it is to see that information is furnished to the world concerning an event which, like the royal weddings, elicits a desire for knowledge from every quarter of the globe, will make more complete arrangements for newspapers. A Colonial journalist complained bitterly to me yesterday in the Abbey that he represented two hundred thousand readers of an Overseas journal, and yet he could get no real information. In the Abbey he had a seat from which he could see nothing but the marble legs of a big statue, and nobody in the Press Gallery could see more than an angle of the sacrarium. Information concerning the happenings at Buckingham Palace could be obtained only by few, and then not in a manner lending itself to reproduction for the world to read. If the wedding of a son of England is a private affair, nothing could be said, but it was a State function, attended by representatives of every interest in the Empire. Yet no list of guests was available.

London Visitors.

Many visitors who came to London for the Royal wedding are, apparently, prolonging their stay over the week-end. The West End has been crowded all day, and many sight-seeing and shopping expeditions were in progress. Last night's revels were carried on till quite late in the morning, and everywhere were popular and successful. Hotels, restaurants, theatres and other places of amusement all have a good report to make, and last night has been described as the jolliest since the Armistice.

The Cup Final.

The stadium of the British Empire Exhibition will be opened by the ... to-morrow, when the final of the English Association Cup will be played. The stadium is situated at Wembley, a western suburb, which to-morrow will be served by five railway services and six services of motor 'buses. The presence of a London club in the final has given this year's contest an added interest here, but there is more hope than confidence that West Ham will beat Bolton Wanderers in to-morrow's match, for it is realised that the Lancashire club will not easily be defeated. All the seats have been disposed of, but there is standing room for over 30,000 spectators, and there is a prospect of a record attendance of not far short of 150,000.

Attacks on Judges.

The attack upon Mr. Justice ... in court to-day reminds one how ... such outrages are. Occasionally we hear of a drunken woman pulling off ... and throwing it at the magistrate who convicted her. Fortunately, she rarely throws straight. But serious attempts to injure the High Court judges are almost unknown, and I see that to find a parallel to to-day's incident the papers have to go back to the case where a disappointed litigant flung an egg at Vice-Chancellor Mallins, who merely remarked: "I think that must have been intended for my Brother Bacon."

Mr. Lloyd George.

Mr. Lloyd George is to speak at Manchester to-morrow, when he is expected to make a speech of rather greater ... than usual. It is said that he ... talk in a decisive manner about ... policy, probably taking into ... only the question of re-union, but the position with regard to Conservatism and to Labour, which Liberalism must take into consideration if it is to exist as a separate party. Mr. R. D. Holt, who is a supporter of Mr. Asquith, has written a letter challenging the right of Mr. Lloyd George to speak for Liberalism at all. The ex-Premier will probably have something to say on this point.

Sir Alpheus Cleophas Morton.

Sir Alpheus Cleophas Morton, whose death at the age of 83 is reported, was a remarkable example of what can be done by determination of character. He had a poor voice and an uninspiring manner, yet by sheer persistence he managed to make himself a certain position in the House of Commons in which he sat, off and on, for nearly thirty years. He was a member of many other public bodies, including the London County Council and the Corporation of London, and on all of them he made himself felt. Perhaps his most popular achievement was in putting a stop to the former custom of raising the tramway fares on bank holidays. Having been charged 3d. one day for a 1d. fare he "blocked" the next Tramway Bill in the House, and insisted on the insertion of a clause preventing the abuse.

Labour Examples.

I am not surprised to hear that some of the Labour members are finding it hard to live in London unless they have some additional income besides their £400 a year. It is not at all likely that the present Parliament will be induced to sanction an increase in the allowance. The state of the public finances, to say nothing of public sentiment, alone forbid. There would be no difficulty, of course, if those who voted for a member's election were prepared to contribute some trifling sum, say a penny a month, to his support.

Canadian Cattle.

The importation of Canadian cattle is again developing into a political question. The Act removing the embargo, passed last year, gave power to the Ministry of Agriculture to make an order admitting other than store cattle, and such an order was about to be made. Representations, however, have been made to Sir Robert Sanders, the Minister of Agriculture, and it is probable that the publication of the order will be withheld pending a conference of representatives of the National Farmers' Union and several other associations concerned in the question.

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...TRE. at 7.45, ...TURDAY, 2.30, ...GE PRESENTS ...ALLAD OPERA, ...LY, ...ST SUCCESS. ...THEATRE. ...NTED ORCHESTRA. NOW BOOKING.

...THEATRE. ...IN POSSESSION."

...NEXT WEEK. 20th CENTURY MINSTRELS, Direct from the Crystal Palace, London.

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May be Hired for Musical or Dramatic Performances.
For terms, apply THE SECRETARY.

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8.30 .... 10.30
Doors open at 8 p.m. Popular Prices.

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MATINEE TO-DAY AT 2.30.
TO-NIGHT AT 8.15,
Miss MARY SHERIDAN and COMPANY in
GENERAL JOHN REGAN,
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Cast includes:
RALPH BRERETON BARRY,
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Booking at Theatre. Phone 3268.

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Twice Nightly, 6.45 and 8.45. Tel. 3016.
IRA ALLEN'S FAMOUS IRISH PLAY,
"FATHER MURPHY."

PRINCESS, RATHMINES.
DANGEROUS CURVE AHEAD,
Featuring
HELENE CHADWICK.

METROPOLE CINEMA.
CONTINUOUS .... 3-10.30.
LAST DAY,
"RICH MEN'S WIVES,"
Featuring
HOUSE PETERS and CLAIRE WINDSOR,
supported by a Cast of Famous Artistes.
A thoroughly human drama—thrilling and appealing.
Monday Next: Jackie Coogan in "Oliver Twist."

METROPOLE RESTAURANT.
OPEN .... 12.30-9.30.
Orchestral Music. High-class Cuisine.
Light Luncheons and Afternoon Teas served.

METROPOLE BALLROOM.
THIS DAY (SATURDAY), 28th APRIL—
Dancing, 8-11 p.m. (Evening Dress), under the direction of Mr. T. Leggett Byrne.
TICKETS 5/-

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY ENGINEERING STUDENTS SOCIETY.
DANCE,
METROPOLE BALLROOM,
FRIDAY, 4th MAY, 1923.
MR. W. A. MANAHAN'S BAND.
TICKETS, 17/6
(Members of Society, 15/-).
DANCING 9 p.m. to 3 a.m.
Tickets may be obtained from
J. C. DAVISON, 18 T.C.D.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE.
MARGARET STOKES MEMORIAL LECTURES.
THREE LECTURES ON
ANCIENT IRISH MANUSCRIPTS,
BY
The Rev. H. J. LAWLOR, D.D., Litt.D.
(Professor of Ecclesiastical History in the University of Dublin),
On APRIL 30th, MAY 1st, and MAY 2nd,
At 4 o'clock.
Lantern Illustrations. Admission 1/-.
Tickets for the Course, 2/6.

SINGING & VOICE PRODUCTION
Madame K. McCAFFERY has Resumed Lessons at 25 OAKLANDS PARK, BALLSBRIDGE.
Terms on Application.

GRAND HOTEL,
GREYSTONES.
CINDERELLA TO-NIGHT (SATURDAY), 8 to 12.
Co-Optimists Band. Tickets at office.

RAILWAYS.

GREAT SOUTHERN & WESTERN RAILWAY.

LIMERICK RACES,
2nd and 3rd MAY.

On Wednesday, 2nd May, a Special Train will run as under:—

		Return Fares to Limerick. 1st Class.	3rd Class.
Kingsbridge ....dep.	8.45	40/-	20/-
Kildare .... "	9.50		
Maryborough .... "	10. 0	30/-	15/-
Thurles .... "	11. 0	15/-	7/6
Limerick Junction .... "	11.45	Single Fare & one-third	
Limerick ....arr	12.30		

Tickets, available for return on either date by ordinary train (Express Mail excepted), or by Special Train leaving Limerick for Kingsbridge at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 3rd May.

On each day o. the Races return tickets at single fare and one-third will be issued to Limerick from Ennis, Charleville, Listowel, Foynes, Limerick Junction, Nenagh, and intermediate stations, available for return on either date.

E. A. NEALE, General Manager.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, April, 1923.

GREAT SOUTHERN AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

TRAIN ALTERATIONS,
MAY, 1923.

On and from TUESDAY, 1st MAY, the following Alterations will come into force:—

The 11.50 a.m. Mallow to Kingsbridge will be altered to leave at 11.35 a.m.

The 10.15 a.m. Cork to Mallow will be altered to leave at 10.0 a.m.

The 6.45 a.m. Youghal to Cork will be altered to leave at 8.30 a.m.

The 9.10 a.m. Cobh (Queenstown) to Cork will be altered to leave at 9.0 a.m.

The 11.0 a.m. Limerick to Waterford will be altered to leave at 11.25 a.m.

The 1.25 p.m. Cashel to Goold's Cross will be altered to leave at 1.15 p.m.

The 4.15 p.m. Maryborough to Waterford will be altered to leave at 6.50 p.m.

The 4.0 p.m. Maryboro' to Mountmellick to be 6.35 p.m.

The 2.45 p.m. Mountmellick to Maryboro' will cease to run.

The 3.0 p.m. Tuam to Limerick will cease to run beyond Athenry.

A new train will leave Tuam for Limerick at 4.30 p.m.

The 4.10 p.m. Athenry to Tuam will be altered to leave at 6.35 p.m.

The 10.0 a.m. Cork to Youghal to be altered to leave at 9.50 a.m.

A new train will leave Cork for Cobh (Queenstown) at 6.50 p.m.

A new train will leave Cobh (Queenstown) for Cork at 7.0 p.m.

E. A. NEALE, General Manager.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, April, 1923.

SERMONS.

BRIGHTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH.

11.30 a.m.—Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
4 p.m.—CHILDREN'S SERVICE—Closing Meeting and Prize Distribution.
7 p.m.—Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
BOYS' BRIGADE PARADE SERVICE.
Special Address to Boys and Young Men.

MAGDALEN CHURCH.

11.30 a.m.—The Easter Hope in St. Paul's Letters. 5—The Resurrection of the Body. Anthem—"The Trumpet Shall Sound" (Handel). 7 p.m.—The Story of Nain. Preacher—Rev. J. F. Moncrieff Cox, B.D.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH

COLLECTIONS FOR CHOIR TO-MORROW.
Preacher at 11, 12 noon, and 7:
Rev. WALTER FRERE, D.D.,
Community of the Resurrection.

CITY OF DUBLIN Y.M.C.A.
LOWER ABBEY STREET.

POPULAR EVANGELISTIC SERVICE

TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) NIGHT, at 8.30 p.m.
(Singing from 8 p.m.).
Special Address by
Sir HENRY McLAUGHLIN, K.B.E.
Duet by Mr. R. PAISLEY and Miss DOBBS.
ALL WELCOME.

BELFAST READERS.

THE IRISH TIMES is due to arrive in Belfast at 9.5 a.m. each day. If your Copy is not delivered within a reasonable time please communicate with our Local Office, 108 Royal Avenue. Telephone—Belfast, 1787.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL
6.45. .... TWICE NIGHTLY. .... 9.0.
NIXON GREY.
NEXT WEEK—PRALLIS PRESENTS
COCKTAIL SYNCOPATORS,
Introducing Singing and Dancing,
and their Famous Jazz Band.

WINTER GARDENS CAFE.
LADIES' ORCHESTRA, 1 to 2.30 and 4 to 6 p.m.

THEATRE ROYAL.
LEGGETT BYRNE MATINEES,
TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, at 2.30.
ALL DRESS-CIRCLE SEATS AND BOXES BOOKED FOR TO-MORROW.
Secure seats early for TO-DAY.

TIVOLI (6.45 and 9. Tel. 4125) THEATRE
THE ACKROYD QUARTETTE
in "OLD MEMORIES."
Sisters Vesta, Alman Correze, Eileen Hayden, Hal Joy, Ivy and Jack, LOUPE and LADIES.

PAVILION, DUN LAOGHAIRE
LAST DAY OF
"THE MAN UNCONQUERABLE."
A Thrilling Tale of the Romantic South Seas.
STARRING JACK HOLT.
At 4, 6.25, and 9 o'c. Splendid long Programme.
NEXT MONDAY:
GREAT DOUBLE-FEATURE PROGRAMME!
William Russell in "The Lady from Long Acre," and Wallace Reid in "Too Much Speed."

LA SCALA BALLROOM.
DANCE
(under direction of Miss MAY LEE).
TO-NIGHT,
7.45 to 11 O'CLOCK.
Mr. E. J. HARRISON'S AUGMENTED BAND.
TICKETS (at door) ....3/- and 3/6 each.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.
SPRING SHOW,
MAY 16th, 17th, 18th, and 19th.
SIX CLASSES FOR
HORSE JUMPING,
WITH VALUABLE PRIZES.
ENTRIES CLOSE MAY 5th.
EDWARD BOHANE, Director.
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DANCE TO-NIGHT, 8 to 11,
METROPOLE.
CLOSING DANCE of the Adelaide road Season.
THURSDAY NEXT, 8 to 12.
ADELAIDE MELODY BAND.
T. LEGGETT BYRNE. Phone.—1813.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

STEWART INSTITUTION FOR IMBECILE CHILDREN.

THE
ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING

Of the above Institution will be held on MONDAY, the 30th APRIL, 1923, at the Offices, 40 MOLESWORTH STREET, DUBLIN, At 4.30 p.m.

The Committee will be glad to see any friends who are interested in the work of the Institution.

The Chair will be taken by
SIR MAURICE DOCKRELL, D.L., J.P.

BUSINESS—To present Reports from Committee and Medical Superintendent, with Statement of Accounts for year ending 31st December, 1922.

GREAT WAR EX-OFFICERS' CLUB.

A General Meeting of all interested in the formation of this Club will be held at Kidd's Restaurant (entrance Adam's Court, Grafton street), at 5.30 o'clock, May 10th, General Sir Bryan Mahon, C.B., D.S.O., presiding.

All interested are cordially invited. Communications may be addressed to Hon. Sec., Provisional Committee, 24 South Frederick street, Dublin.

TAXATION OF BETTING.

IMPORTANT MEETING TO BE HELD IN DUBLIN

In connection with the Proposal to Tax Betting in the Free State, a Meeting of Book Makers, including those who control S.P. Offices and Outside Book Makers will be held in Dublin after the Louth Hunt Meeting, next week, to consider a scheme.

The time and place of Meeting will be announced later.

D. O'M. LEAHY.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.

NOTICE PUBLISHING TIME AND PLACE OF AUDIT.

Notice is hereby given that the Audit of the Accounts of the above-named Council for the financial periods ended 31st March, 1920 and 1921, will be opened in the Municipal Buildings, Lord Edward street, by Adhamhnan MacFhionnlaoich and Proinnsias MacBearnaird Local Government Auditors, on the 8th day of May, 1923, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., when and where objections to any matter contained in the said several accounts will be heard. The accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the Audit.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1923.

JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office,
Lord Edward street, Dublin. K.A.A.

URBAN DISTRICT OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR.

RATES NOTICE

For Rates made April 27th, 1923 for year ending 31st March, 1924.
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the Urban District Council of Rathmines and Rathgar have this day made, under the provisions of the following Acts:—Rathmines and Rathgar Improvements Acts, 1847, 1862, and 1866; the Rathmines and Pembroke Main Drainage Act, 1877; the Public Health (Ireland) Acts, 1878 to 1912; the Milltown Extension Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Water Act, 1880; the Rathmines and Rathgar Improvement Acts, 1885, 1892, 1893, 1897, and 1902; the Public Libraries Acts, 1855 and 1877; the Agricultural and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899; the Public Parks Act, 1869, and Acts incorporated therewith; the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898; the Local Government Board (Ireland) Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act, 1900; the Dublin, Rathmines and Rathgar, and Pembroke Equalisation of Rates Act, 1901; and other Acts in force within the district, authorising expenditure for Public Health and other sanitary purposes—the following rates in the £:—

URBAN DISTRICT RATE .... 9s. 4d.
POOR RATE, or collectable as such .... 8s. 11d.

The Rate Book is now in my custody, and a duplicate thereof, as far as Poor Rate is concerned, has been transmitted by me to the Clerk of the Dublin Union, and may be inspected by any person affected thereby at the Council or Union Offices, on any day between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. (Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.), exclusive of Sundays and Bank Holidays, and the said Rates will be payable from and after the publication of this Notice.

Signed this 27th day of April, 1923.

SEACOME MASON, Clerk of the Council.
Town Hall, Rathmines. K.A.A.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

ELECTION FOR MALE PATIENTS.

There will be an Election at the Hospital on TUESDAY, the 15th day of May, 1923, at 9.30 o'clock a.m., for Male Patients.

Forms of Application for Admission may be had at the Hospital.

N.B.—The Forms must be sent to the Hospital, completed and signed by the Applicant, on or before Friday, the 4th day of May, 1923, which will be the last day for the Medical Examination of Applicants at the Hospital.

(By Order),
JOHN J. THOMPSON, Registrar.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT.

Take Notice that I have made application to the Registrar of Clubs, Metropolitan Police Court, Inns quay, Dublin, for a Certificate of Registration to the "Irish Times" Staff Club, Irish Rugby Union Grounds, Lansdowne road, Dublin.

(Signed), J. T. O'DOCKERY.
Hon. Sec.
April 26th, 1923.

SERMONS.

ST. VINCENT'S GIRLS' ORPHANAGE,

NORTH WILLIAM STREET

(Under the care of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul).

On SUNDAY NEXT,
APRIL 29, 1923,
The VERY REV. F. M. BROWNE, S.J.,
Will Preach a
CHARITY SERMON
In aid of this Orphanage, after the First Gospel of the last Mass, at
ST. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, DOMINICK STREET
Another Appeal will be made in
ST. PETER'S, PHIBSBOROUGH,
And
ST. AGATHA'S, NORTH WILLIAM STREET,
For the same meritorious purpose.

THE BEST WEEK-END PAPER FOR DUBLIN People is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Last Edition on Sale every Saturday Morning. Price Twopence.

EDUCATION.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE,
RATHFARNHAM, CO. DUBLIN.

PUBLIC SCHOOL. SISTER FOUNDATION OF RADLEY COLLEGE.

Visitor: HIS GRACE THE LORD PRIMATE OF ALL-IRELAND.

Warden: REV. C. B. ARMSTRONG, M.A., B.D.

THE COLLEGE WILL (D.V.) RE-OPEN ON
MONDAY, APRIL 30th.
All boys must be in attendance before 8.30 p.m.

FOUR ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS, value £50, £40, £30 and £25 per annum, tenable for four years, are offered for competition in June to candidates under 14 years of age. Entries must reach the Warden before June 1st, and particulars will be forwarded on request.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE,
DUBLIN.

Headmaster—A. S. M. IMRIE, M.A., B.Sc.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

An Examination for three Open Scholarships and one "Wilson Sullern" Open Entrance Scholarship will be held at the College on 31st MAY and 1st JUNE. Candidates must be 12 years of age, but must not have passed their 15th year on 1st June, 1923.

Entry Forms, with information regarding conditions and subjects of examination, may be had on application to the Headmaster.

EARLSFORT HOUSE SCHOOL,

3 EARLSFORT PLACE, DUBLIN.
Head Master—W. ERNEST EXSHAW, B.A., T.C.D., B.A., London (Hons.).
Six University successes last month direct from School.
Ideal Cricket Ground (Wanderers F.C.) at Lansdowne road.
SCHOOL RE-OPENED FRIDAY, APRIL 27th.

THE HALL SCHOOL,
MONKSTOWN
(UNDER A COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.)
MISS VAUGHAN, PRINCIPAL.
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.
Kindergarten under trained and certified teacher.
No vacancies for Boarders until after Summer Term.

PLEASE NOTE.
School will (D.V.) re-open MAY 3rd.
Boarders will return on WEDNESDAY, MAY 2nd.
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MARGARET STOKES MEMORIAL LECTURES.

Three lectures on Ancient Irish Manuscripts will be given at Alexandra College, Dublin (under the Margaret Stokes Memorial Trust), on the afternoons of Monday, April 30th; Tuesday, May 1st, and Wednesday, May 2nd, at 4 o'clock. The lecturer for this series is the Rev. H. J. Lawlor, D.D., Litt.D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History in the University of Dublin. The lectures will be fully illustrated with lantern slides. The opening lecture on Monday will treat of the beginning of Christian learning and art in Ireland, the Cathach of St. Columba, and the Book of Durrow. At this lecture the chair will be taken by the Provost of Trinity College.

Strabane Urban District Council has struck a rate of 11s. in the £, a reduction of 5d.

Rev. Edwyn H. P. Spooner, a retired clergyman, residing at Scarborough, died suddenly yesterday whilst attending a Communion Service at St. Martin's Church, Swansea.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Mr. de Valera has issued his peace proposals. He mentions that as an evidence of good-will agressive action is to cease not later than Monday, April 30th.

At a meeting of the Cumann na n-Gaedheal—the new organisation which has been formed to support the Government's policy—last night Mr. Cosgrave and other Ministers gave an account of their stewardship.

Spiddal House, the Galway residence of Lord Killanin, and Durrow Abbey, Tullamore, the residence of Mr. Ottway Graham Toler, have been destroyed by armed incendiaries.

The Grand Central Cinema, Sackville street, Dublin, was partially wrecked by the explosion of a land mine yesterday morning.

At the meeting of the Dublin Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society yesterday testimony was borne to the splendid work of the members during the past twenty years.

Arrangements have been made for the return of arms which were surrendered in Ireland to the British authorities.

Haulbowline Dockyard was attacked for two hours with machine gun and rifle fire on Friday morning. No casualties are reported.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Bonar Law, with the King's approval and on his doctor's advice, is going on a sea voyage. He will return to England in time for the meeting of Parliament after the Whitsuntide recess.

SPORTING.

Greek Bachelor, an Irish-bred colt, won the Tudor Stakes at Sandown Park.

COMMERCIAL.

Only restricted business was done on the London Stock Exchange yesterday.

Mr. de Valera's Offer.

Mr. de Valera and his Chief of Staff have ordered all persons who are now in arms against the Free State to "suspend aggressive action" as from noon on Monday next. This part, at least, of the document which we publish to-day is quite clear, and everybody will hope that the suspension of bloodshed and destruction may be, in fact, the end of them. What Mr. de Valera offers for the moment, however, is only a truce pending proposed negotiations for a final cessation of hostilities, and the body of his document sets forth his suggested basis of negotiation. Unfortunately, in this vital matter he has failed to realise the necessity of plain and direct language. We confess that, after a very careful study of Mr. de Valera's proposals, we are not in a position to enlighten our readers because we have been unable to enlighten ourselves. The two opening clauses may be interpreted to mean either that he now accepts the *fait accompli* of the Free State or, that he continues to reject it. The third clause seems to imply that Mr. de Valera is really ready to submit himself to the people's will. It accepts the people as the ultimate court of appeal and declares that, even if their decision at a general election is unjust, it ought not to be resisted by violent means. Yet in the fourth clause Mr. de Valera claims that men must be free to sit in the nation's Parliament even if they refuse to take the oath of allegiance to the national Constitution. This claim obscures the whole purport of the proposals.

If, as Mr. de Valera says, he desires "a speedy and just ending to the present national troubles," the way is easy and simple. By submitting himself and his followers unreservedly to the will of the people he can have permanent peace within the next twenty-four hours. Such submission is, in his own words, "the democratic alternative to arbitrament by force," and no pains or penalties will be attached to it. It is, we believe, the earnest wish of the vast majority of citizens of the Free State that the end of this miserable and costly strife shall represent a true amnesty. The only necessity which the Republican Party is required to recognise is the necessity of obedience to the Free State so long as that State is the political and material embodiment of the people's will. A general election must be held before the end of this year, and at the first Convention of *Cumann na nGaedheal* yesterday Ministers spoke as if they felt that their term of office was drawing to a close. To-morrow Mr. de Valera and his followers may turn themselves into law-abiding citizens, and a few months hence they may invite the constituencies to upset the Free State and to establish a Republic. If the electors are prepared to accept the consequences, Mr. de Valera will have won by votes what he has failed to win by violence. What the consequences would be is, of course, as Mr. Kipling says, "another story." This, however, is the severe logic of the situation, and Mr. de Valera, being a logician, ought to accept it.

In the meanwhile the Free State holds the field, and its Government is the responsible guardian of the people's lives and property and peace. In its fulfilment of that weighty trust there are two things which the Government cannot do. It cannot make any terms which would compromise the security of the State and it cannot tolerate the existence of outrage and disorder. There is one thing, however, which it can do, and ought to do: it can remove every removable obstacle from the path of settlement. These two "cannots" and one "can" must govern its attitude to Mr. de Valera's overture. By them it must test the feasibility of his proposed basis of negotiation. By them also it must be influenced in its response to the country's longing for action that will hasten the return of peace. It will be the universal hope to-day that the "offensive operations" to which Mr. de Valera has called a halt may not be renewed at all. No doubt, some reply, formal or informal, will be made immediately to the Republican proclamation; and everybody knows what the gist of that reply must be—a re-statement of the terms on which the Government will accept the submission of those who still carry arms against it. Nevertheless, the manner of that re-statement may decide the limit of the ruinous campaign of disorder. It is the Government's duty *pacis imponere morem*; but to-day, of these three words, the last is hardly less important than the other two.

Education and the Farm.

The current number of *The Irish Homestead* contains ten special articles on agricultural education in Ireland which ought to be read by every Irishman who has the future welfare of his country at heart. No matter what progress may be made in industrial development, Ireland is, and must remain, an agricultural country *par excellence*. Factories may be built, mine shafts may be sunk, schemes of water-power may reduce the nation's dependence on imported coal; but in the long run the touchstone of the Free State's economic prosperity will be the measure of its agricultural progress. The writers in *The Irish Homestead* declare that a healthy agricultural economy can be produced in Ireland only through the medium of education, and to that end they suggest various ways in which the State can foster the nation's staple industry. All the writers are sons of farmers, and, although idealists, their upbringing has given them severely practical ideas. They want agriculture to play a far greater part in the education of the young Irish citizen than it has played in the past. They agree, very wisely, as we think, that no attempt should be made to introduce vocational training into the system of primary schools; but in the secondary schools, and, above all, in the universities and higher training colleges they urge that agriculture and its ancilliary subjects shall be encouraged as much as possible. In the primary schools boys and girls ought to be given the foundations of a good general education, on which afterwards the superstructure of vocational training can be built. An agricultural bias can be given to children at this stage by the use of rural readers and of object-lessons which are chosen from farming topics; and then in the secondary schools they can get a sound scientific training not only, as in the past, in the rudiments of chemistry and physics, as such, but also in their application to agricultural problems. Finally, the writers attach the utmost importance to the development of the College of Science. In this institution the Free State possesses an asset of almost inestimable value, and, as *The Irish Homestead* says, it must form the apex of any scheme for agricultural education in the future. The need for agricultural education is obvious. Denmark, a country only one-third of Ireland's size, has won world supremacy, not on account of any natural advantages, but simply because the Danes recognised the value of agricultural education while the pioneers of the movement in Ireland were fighting a lone hand to overcome the prejudices of centuries. The result is that, for instance, the average yield of Irish dairy herds is about two hundred gallons below the Danish average. *The Irish Homestead* is pointing the way to a better condition of affairs, and we hope that when the excursions and alarums of political turmoil have died down the Free State Government will adopt the broad outlines of the educational scheme which is sketched so ably by its contributors. At any rate, the proposals are worthy of the closest study. They are purely constructive, and they have the further great advantage of being cheap.

Bores.

Ready-to-wear precepts for ensuring matrimonial harmony have been uttered by more than one famous man of letters without exhaustion of the subject. In adding his mite Mr. W. L. George, the novelist, runs no risk of making married life the dull business that it might become if spouses always were as agreeable to each other as the preceptors urge. Mr. George attempts nothing sweeping. "Do not bore one another," he cautiously advises—sublimely unaware that human beings, including novelists, spend most of their time in boring other people. The world is full of tediously talkative young men, and, the more active are their brains, the more tiresome they become. Talking is with them the audible manifestation of egomania. The old are equally boring, but the prolixity and repetition of age are less exasperating because we feel that there is no help for it. We shall be like that ourselves some day. If men, young or old, should discourse to their wives in the way in which they hold forth, when permitted, to their neighbours, the Divorce Court would have to work in three eight-hour shifts. They seldom make the attempt, however; and when husbands bore their wives it is by making them do, rather than hear, tedious things. Women, except those with a mission in life, seldom bore men in the positive sense; but, since it is a woman's business in life to entertain her husband, she must accept the responsibility if she leaves him alone to be bored by himself. It can be seen readily that Mr. George's advice, far from being a handy guide to connubial bliss, is a counsel of perfection.

An American Lawyer.

The call to the English Bar of Mr. J. M. Beck, the United States Solicitor-General, establishes a precedent in the annals of Anglo-American comity. Many Americans have been called to the English Bar; for, unlike most countries, Great Britain admits the citizens of any nation, who choose to qualify in the ordinary way, to practise in her courts. Mr. Beck, however, though he is already an Honorary Bencher of Gray's Inn—a distinction which he received in recognition of his services to the Allies in the early days of the war—has not qualified in the ordinary way. He has eaten no dinners and has passed no examinations; and, indeed, it would be a very unusual thing that a United States Cabinet Minister should undertake these preliminaries. Mr. Beck has been called to the English Bar for the very practical reason that, in certain litigation which will arise in the near future in the House of Lords, the United States Government is anxious to be represented by its own counsel. Two courses were open. Mr. Beck could have been associated with English counsel on motion, as happens frequently in lawsuits in which foreigners are interested. The propriety of this course in the case of the Law Officer of a foreign Government seemed to be doubtful. Mr. Beck's formal admission to the English Bar was not only a satisfactory solution of the difficulty, but gave England the opportunity of paying a graceful compliment to one who has proved himself at all times a good friend and, in critical times, a doughty champion.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of Westminster are in residence at Eaton Hall, where they will entertain a large house party for Chester races. The Dowager Duchess of Roxburghe and her son-in-law and daughter, Colonel and Lady Evelyn Collins, have arrived in London for the season. The Duchess of Grafton has left Euston Hall, Thetford, for London, where she will remain for a couple of weeks.

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Earl Howe is sixty-two to-day. He succeeded his father, the third Earl, in 1900, and held many appointments at Court during the reigns of Queen Victoria and King Edward. Since 1903 he has been Lord Chamberlain to Queen Alexandra. By his first marriage with Lady Georgiana Spencer-Churchill, who died in 1906, he has one son, Viscount Curzon, and in 1919 he married, secondly, the widow of the second Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, and daughter of Mr. John Davis, of New York.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Hartington have arrived in London from Chatsworth. The Marchioness of Londonderry returned to Londonderry House on Wednesday from the Continent. The Hon. Lady Bailey, who spent the winter in South Africa, has arrived in London.

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The Marquis of Crewe has benefited greatly by his stay at Cannes. With the Marchioness of Crewe he started on Thursday morning by motor car for Avignon. Thence they will continue their journey by road to Lyons, where they will join the express train for Paris.

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The Earl of Dudley will leave Brighton next week for France, and will spend most of the summer at his villa at Le Touquet. Lady Alston left Southampton yesterday on the R.M.S.P. Andes for Buenos Ayres, to join her husband, Sir Beilby Alston, British Minister to the Argentine Republic. Lord and Lady Huntingfield are staying at The Hague, but will return next week to their place in Suffolk.

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To-day Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bisshop Harmsworth celebrate their silver wedding. Mr. Harmsworth is the second brother of the late Viscount Northcliffe and brother of Viscount Rothermere, and his wife is the daughter of Mr. William Hamilton Maffett, formerly of St. Helena, Finglas. They have two sons and one daughter, and they reside in England, having a house in London, as well as a place at Henley-on-Thames.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will take place (at 2.15 p.m.) on Wednesday, May 16, at the Church of the Annunciation, Bryanston street, W., between Captain F. P. R. Nichols, M.C., elder son of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Nichols, of 7 Mountlands, Taunton, and Evelyn Aubre, only daughter of the late Mr. Oswald B. Maffett, D.I., R.I.C., and Mrs. Maffett, of 19 Adelaide street, Kingstown, Co. Dublin.

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Dr. L. G. Gunn has left 43 Fitzwilliam square for one week.

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Departures.—Right Hon. Sir A. Beattie, John D. Wallis, John Clayburn, Dr. E. Burns, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Larchet, Miss M. E. Harman, Miss A. G. Keralake, W. Keralake, Miss M. Coffey, Mrs. D. J. Coffey, Miss Ruth Beatty, W. R. Burgess, V. Williams, Mrs. G. Malcolm Graham, F. M. Graham, A. Williams, Miss Daphne Walsh, R. Williams, Mrs. Bowesman, G. Bowesman.

Superb window exhibit of Costumes, Frocks, and Millinery this week at McBirney's.

Exquisite Bouquets, Wreaths, Crosses, Floral Designs, choicest flowers, shortest notice, lowest prices.—Ramsay's, 50 Nassau street.

Miss Millar, our Millinery Buyer, has again returned from the Markets.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

To LADIES.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances of all kinds. Fannin & Co., 41 Grafton st. Davis and Co.'s Costume and Gown Buyer has returned from the markets.—45 Grafton street.

LATE LORD CARNARVON.

REMAINS BROUGHT HOME FOR INTERMENT.

The remains of the late Earl of Carnarvon arrived at Highclere Station, Berks, yesterday afternoon by special train from Plymouth. The widow and Lady Evelyn Herbert travelled with the body, and they were met by the new Earl. The proceedings were strictly private.

The coffin was conveyed by motor to the mortuary chapel in Highclere Park, where it will repose until the funeral on Monday, when the interment will take place on Beacon Hill, the most prominent landmark in the locality.

HISTORIC SCHOOL.

USE OF MUNIFICENT GIFT TO GREENWICH HOSPITAL.

It is officially announced that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, acting in their private capacity as trustees of Greenwich Hospital, have decided to remove the Royal Hospital School from Greenwich to a site on the estate of Holbrook in Suffolk, recently presented to Greenwich Hospital by Mr. G. S. Reade, as a token of his admiration for the services rendered by the Navy in the Great War.

Mr. Reade's munificent gift of his family estate has provided, free of cost, an admirable site on which to rebuild the historic school on modern lines, under the essential conditions of country air and ample space for playing fields.

There will be no charge on public funds in connection with the change, as the cost of erecting the new school will be met wholly out of the charitable funds of Greenwich Hospital.

RETURN OF ARMS

SURRENDERED TO BRITISH MILITARY.

It is officially announced from the Colonial Office that arrangements have been made for the return of arms surrendered in Ireland in accordance with military proclamations, to owners qualified for the possession of such arms.

Owners resident in Great Britain and Northern Ireland who desire the return of such weapons, and who are in possession of the necessary licences and certificates, should apply in the first intance to the Secretary of the War Office, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1. Such applications should be accompanied by a full description of the guns, etc., surrendered, together with a copy of the receipt received from the military or police authorities at the time they were handed in for safe custody.

Owners resident in the Free State who are in possession of the necessary authority should apply in the first instance to the Ministry of Defence, Dublin.

In cases where it has been ascertained that guns, etc., so surrendered have been lost or cannot be traced, applications for compensation, which must be accompanied by a copy of the receipt issued to the owner on surrender, and by evidence that the owner is duly authorised to have the arms in his possession, may be addressed to the Under Secretary of State, Colonial Office (Irish branch), 38 Old Queen street, London, S.W. 1.

MR. ART O'BRIEN'S CASE.

The English Court of Appeal has not yet fixed a date for delivering judgment upon the application for a writ of *habeas corpus* in the case of Mr. Art O'Brien, who was arrested in London, and at present is interned in the Irish Free State.

WORK FOR ALL.

LABOUR PARTY'S PLAN TO SECURE IT.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Friday.

A bill, which Mr. William Graham described as "a modest attempt on the part of the Labour Party to do something to decrease the volume of unemployment," came before the House of Commons this afternoon. The measure, which had the backing of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mr. Clynes, and other members of the Opposition bench, sought to confer certain additional powers on the Ministry of Labour, and on local authorities, which would enable them, in the view of the hon. member for Central Edinburgh, to tackle the problem of unemployment in a more scientific and practical way.

The main principle of the bill, said Mr. Graham, was the enabling of the State and the local authorities to regularise the demand for labour throughout the country, the preventing of overlapping, and a provision which would secure, as far as possible, that contracts calling for labour should be spread evenly over a period of years. The great thing, he said, was to anticipate acute periods of unemployment, and be prepared with better schemes than the emergency relief measures which had been made to stink in the nostrils of the people.

Sir W. Sugden, the Unionist member for a Lancashire constituency, was not hopeful that the bill would do anything to regularise industry, especially agriculture and textile, and said that it could be applied only under a full-blooded system of Socialism. The first and most vital necessity in solving the unemployment problem was, in his opinion, more definite co-operation between employers and employed.

The Conservative members generally were opposed to the bill, but there were one or two prepared to assent to the measure going to a committee upstairs, where it could be examined in all its aspects.

The Minister of Labour himself was uncompromising in his attitude against the bill. Though speaking for the Government, he intimated that it was proposed to leave the fate of the measure to a free vote of the House. In saying this, he was not to be understood as promising that facilities would be given for the further progress of the bill which, in his opinion, would wholly fail to secure the object which the Labour Party had in view.

Mr. Clynes complained of the attitude of the Government, which was neither yes nor no. This bill, he said, was not Socialism, and he quite failed to understand the objection taken to it.

The bill, on a division, was thrown out by 166 votes to 142.

MR. BONAR LAW

GOING ON A SEA VOYAGE.

The *Court Circular* states that Mr. Bonar Law had an audience of the King last evening.

Mr. Bonar Law, with the King's approval, is leaving immediately on a short sea voyage. He will return before the meeting of Parliament after the Whitsuntide recess, when his medical advisers, on whose advice he is acting, assure him that there is every reason to suppose that his voice will be completely restored.

In Mr. Bonar Law's absence the House of Commons will be led by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Stanley Baldwin.

Complete arrangements for the Prime Minister's departure have not yet been made, but he will probably set out on his search for health early next week.

MRS. STARR HONOURED.

ROYAL APPRECIATION OF "HEROIC ENDEAVOUR."

SIMLA, Friday.

The King has approved the award of the Kaisar-I-Hind Gold Medal to Mrs. Starr.

The decoration, instituted in 1900, is for eminent public services.

The Viceroy of India has received the following telegram from the Secretary of State for India:—"The King and Queen have learned with deep interest and admiration of the service rendered by Mrs. Starr in the rescue of Miss Ellis from the hands of her mother's murderers. Their Majesties share the feeling of horror to which the brutal crime of Kohat gave rise, and are greatly relieved to know that Mrs. Starr's heroic endeavour has been crowned with success.

"The fearless devotion with which she has carried through her quest will long be an encouragement and an inspiration."—(Reuter.)

TRADE OF BELFAST.

IMPORT AND EXPORT RETURNS.

The export and import returns for the Port of Belfast for the three months ending 31st March have been issued by the Belfast Harbour Commissioners. A feature of the returns is the increase in the number of iron and steel plates imported compared with the same three months last year, which reflects the improved position in the shipbuilding industry. The quantity of plates increased from 6,941 tons to 10,966 tons, and wrought and bar iron and steel imported from 6,889 tons to 14,052 tons. The imports of flax increased from 2,358 tons to 4,188 tons, and the linen exports from 9,294 tons to 10,497 tons.

The exports of ropes advanced from 415 tons to 572 tons, and the associated twine exports more than doubled—viz., 41 tons, compared with 97 tons for the past three months. There is also an increase in the amount of manufactured tobacco exported, the figures being 825 tons, compared with 995 tons since the 1st January last. Butter exports declined from 109 to 69 tons, and there was a very big decline in the export of potatoes—8,733 tons, compared with 43,907 tons last year. Agriculture produce generally shows a smaller export, but there were 32,598 head of cattle exported, compared with only 20,327 for the same period last year.

OBITUARY.

MR. THOMAS J. NICHOLL.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Thomas J. Nicholl, of Avoca Lodge, Blackrock, and 9 Great Brunswick street, Dublin, will be read with regret by a wide circle of friends. The head of one of the leading firms of coal merchants in Dublin, Mr. Nicholl was known and respected by the entire business community of the city, and, although failing health prevented him from taking an active interest in public affairs during recent years, he was for a considerable time a valued member of the Blackrock Urban Council. He was closely connected with the Methodist Church, and took a deep interest in all its activities, especially the work amongst the young, having been the superintendent of the Blackrock Sunday School for over forty years.

Mr. Nicholl, who had reached the ripe age of 83 years, spent his early business life in Belfast, and came to Dublin about fifty years ago. He was held in high esteem by his brethren of the Masonic Order, acted as Treasurer to his Lodge, and reached the high rank of Prince Mason many years ago. He leaves a widow and four sons.

TEST OF CONFORMITY.

ARCHBISHOP OF YORK AND PRAYER BOOK REVISION.

Referring to the subject of Prayer Book revision in his address to the York Diocesan Conference yesterday, the Archbishop of York declared that there must be a full and careful revision, saying that it was 260 years ago since such a task was attempted, and that revision was long overdue.

As to the changes necessary, the Archbishop said that when the task was completed the result should be such as would enable them to work and live as one body. Regarding the necessary principle of authority and law, it was impossible to know what changes would stand the test of conformity to the needs and the life of the Church, except by using them.

Viscount Younger was unanimously elected chairman of the Carlton Club yesterday morning, in succession to the Earl of Kintore.

LONDON LETTER

BY AIR TO DUBLIN.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

The De Havilland aeroplane which carried the photographs of the Royal wedding from London to Dublin for the *Irish Times* was of the type known as the D.H. 9. Towards the end of the war machines of this description were used by the Royal Air Force for the purpose of long bombing raids. It is a speedy two-seater, and has proved as successful for commercial aviation as it was for military operations. The D.H. 9 was also employed in France by the United States Air Force, which fitted it with the American "Liberty" engine, most of the machines used by the R.A.F. and by commercial aviation firms being fitted with the Rolls-Royce engine.

The Morning After.

London to-day settled down to work again after the excitements of yesterday, though there were a great many people in the streets, particularly in the neighbourhood of Westminster. The Abbey authorities, anxious to turn an honest penny for the sake of the restoration funds, are charging for admission to the building, and the charge includes a rather distant inspection of the register signed by so many great personages yesterday afternoon at the Abbey and at Buckingham Palace. There is really little more to see in the Abbey than on ordinary occasions since the display of gold plate on the Altar has been removed to its safe dwelling place; but the visitors love to picture the scenes of yesterday to themselves, and thanks to the many excellent pictures this they can do with ease.

Press Arrangements.

When the Prince of Wales gets married it is to be hoped that the State departments, whose duty it is to see that information is furnished to the world concerning an event which, like the recent weddings, elicits a desire for knowledge from every quarter of the globe, will make more complete arrangements for the papers. A Colonial journalist complained bitterly to me yesterday in the Abbey that he represented two hundred thousand readers of an Overseas journal, and yet he could get no real information. In the Abbey he had a seat from which he could see nothing but the marble legs of a big statue, and nobody in the Press Gallery could see more than an angle of the sacrarium. Information concerning the happenings at Buckingham Palace could be obtained only by few, and then not in a manner lending itself to reproduction for the world to read. If the wedding of a son of England is a private affair, nothing could be said, but it was a State function attended by representatives of every interest in the Empire. Yet no list of guests was available.

London Visitors.

Many visitors who came to London for the Royal wedding are, apparently, prolonging their stay over the week-end. The West End has been crowded all day, and many sight-seeing and shopping expeditions were in progress. Last night's revels were carried on till quite late in the morning, and everywhere were popular and successful. Hotels, restaurants, theatres, and other places of amusement all have a good report to make, and last night has been described as the jolliest since the Armistice.

The Cup Final.

The stadium of the British Empire Exhibition will be opened by the King to-morrow, when the final of the Football Association Cup will be played. The stadium is situated at Wembley, a western suburb, which to-morrow will be served by five railway services and six services of motor 'buses. The presence of a London club in the final has given this year's contest an added interest here, but there is more hope than confidence that West Ham will beat Bolton Wanderers in to-morrow's match, for it is realised that the Lancashire club will not easily be defeated. All the seats have been disposed of, but there is standing room for over 80,000 spectators, and there is a prospect of a total attendance of not far short of 100,000.

Attacks on Judges.

The attack upon Mr. Justice [illegible] in court to-day reminds one how very rare such outrages are. Occasionally one hears of a drunken woman pulling off her boot and throwing it at the magistrate who has convicted her. Fortunately, she rarely throws straight. But serious attempts to injure the High Court judges are almost unknown, and I see that to find a parallel to to-day's incident the papers have to go back to the case where a disappointed litigant flung an egg at Vice-Chancellor Mallins, who merely remarked: "I think that must have been intended for my Brother Bacon."

Mr. Lloyd George.

Mr. Lloyd George is to speak at Manchester to-morrow, when he is expected to make a speech of rather [illegible] than usual. It is said that [illegible] talk in a decisive manner about Liberal policy, probably taking into review not only the question of re-union, but the position with regard to Conservatism and to Labour, which Liberalism must take into consideration if it is to exist as a separate party. Mr. R. D. Holt, who is a supporter of Mr. Asquith, has written a letter challenging the right of Mr. Lloyd George to speak for Liberalism at all. The ex-Premier will probably have something to say on this point.

Sir Alpheus Cleophas Morton.

Sir Alpheus Cleophas Morton, whose death at the age of 83 is reported, was a remarkable example of what can be done by determination of character. He had a poor voice and an uninspiring manner, yet by sheer persistence he managed to make himself a certain position in the House of Commons in which he sat off and on, for nearly thirty years. He was a member of many other public bodies, including the London County Council and the Corporation of London, and on all of them he made himself felt. Perhaps, his most popular achievement was in putting a stop to the former custom of raising the tramway fares on bank holidays. Having been charged 3d. one day for a 1d. fare he "blocked" the next Tramway Bill in the House, and insisted on the insertion of a clause preventing the abuse.

Labour Examples.

I am not surprised to hear that some of the Labour members are finding it very hard to live in London unless they have some additional income besides their [illegible] a year. It is not at all likely that the present Parliament will be induced to sanction an increase in the allowance. The state of the public finances, to say nothing of public sentiment, alone forbids. There would be no difficulty, of course, if those who voted for a member's election were prepared to contribute some trifling sum, say a penny a month, to his support.

Canadian Cattle.

The importation of Canadian cattle is again developing into a political question. The Act removing the embargo, passed last year, gave power to the Ministry of Agriculture to make an order admitting other than store cattle, and such an order was about to be made. Representations, however, have been made to Sir Robert Sanders, the Minister of Agriculture, and it is probable that the publication of the order will be withheld pending a conference of representatives of the National Farmers' Union and several other associations concerned in the question.

MR. DE VALERA'S PEACE PROPOSALS.

"AGGRESSIVE ACTION TO BE SUSPENDED."

"EVIDENCE OF GOOD-WILL"

SIX PRINCIPLES AS A BASIS FOR NEGOTIATION.

The suspension of all aggressive operations has been ordered by Mr. de Valera. This fact was made public in two documents which were issued last night. These were a "proclamation" signed by Mr. de Valera (who says that the order is "to take effect as soon as possible, but not later than noon on Monday, April 30th"), and a "special army order" signed by Mr. Frank Aiken.

Mr. de Valera expresses a desire to "contribute to the movement for peace," and sets forth six principles, which, he believes, "many in the ranks of our opponents" will accept. He adds—"If that be so, peace can be arranged forthwith. We hope that this advance will be met in the spirit in which we make it."

No statement of the Government attitude was available last night, but it is expected that Mr. Kevin O'Higgins may refer to the subject to-day.

The following are the texts of the two documents:—

OGLAIGH NA h-EIREANN
(Irish Republican Army).
ARD OIFIG, ATH CLIATH.
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, DUBLIN,
April 27th, 1923.

Dept:—C/S.
Ref. No. Special Army Order.
To:
O/C's Commands and Independent Brigades.

SUSPENSION OF OFFENSIVE.

(1) In order to give effect to decision of the Government and Army Council, embodied in attached Proclamation of this date, you will arrange the suspension of all offensive operations in your area as from noon, Monday, April 30th.

(2) You will ensure that—whilst remaining on the defensive—all units take adequate measures to protect themselves and their munitions.

FRANK AIKEN, Chief of Staff.

DAIL EIREANN
(Government of the Republic of Ireland).

PROCLAMATION.

The Government of the Republic, anxious to contribute its share to the movement for peace, and to found it on principles that will give governmental stability and otherwise prove of value to the nation, hereby proclaims its readiness to negotiate an immediate cessation of hostilities on the basis of the following:—

(1) That the sovereign rights of this nation are indefeasible and inalienable.

(2) That all legislative governmental authority in Ireland, legislative, executive, and judicial, is derived exclusively from the people of Ireland.

(3) That the ultimate court of appeal for deciding disputed questions of national expediency and policy is the people of Ireland—the judgment being by majority vote of the adult citizenry, and the decision to be submitted to, and resistance by violence excluded, not because the decision is necessarily right or just or permanent, but because acceptance of this rule makes for peace, order, and unity in national action, and is the democratic alternative to arbitrament by force. Adequate opportunities and facilities must, of course, be afforded for a full and proper presentation to the court of all the facts and issues involved, and it must be understood that 1 and 2 are fundamental and non-judicable.

(4) That no individual, or class of individuals, who subscribe to these principles of national right, order, and good citizenship, can be justly excluded by any political oath, test, or other device, from their proper share and influence in determining national policy, or from the Councils and Parliament of the nation.

(5) That freedom to express political or economic opinions, or to advocate political or economic programmes, freedom to assemble in public meeting, and freedom of the Press, are rights of citizenship and of the community which must not be abrogated.

(6) That the military forces of the nation are the servants of the nation, and, subject to the foregoing, amenable to the national assembly when freely elected by the people.

We are informed that many in the ranks of our opponents will accept these principles, as we accept them. If that be so, peace can be arranged forthwith.

We hope that this advance will be met in the spirit in which we make it, and that it will be supported by all who love our country, and who desire a speedy and just ending to the present national troubles.

As evidence of our own good-will, the Army Command is issuing herewith an order to all units to suspend aggressive action—the order to take effect as soon as may be, but not later than noon Monday, April 30th.

EAMON DE VALERA, President.

Dublin, April 27th, 1923.

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

TERRITORIAL DISCUSSIONS.

LAUSANNE, Friday.

A meeting of the Financial Committee, which was summoned for to-day, has been postponed until next week as the work of the experts is not yet available.

The Political Committee met and discussed the wording of articles re the abrogation of the capitulations, including the economic and financial clauses.

The question of the Rabbit Islands, a small group between Tenedos and the Dardanelles, was raised by Ismet Pasha, who wanted them incorporated with Tenedos. This point was reserved for further consideration.

The control of the railway between Kuledi-Burgas and the Bulgarian frontier was also discussed and referred to experts for a practical proposal.

Finally, the simplifying of the formalities in connection with the visiting of "Anzac" graves in the Dardanelles was considered, and the subject referred to the Drafting Committee.

The sitting then terminated.—(Press Association's Special Correspondent.)

A CORK OUTRAGE.

AGED WOMAN'S HAIR CUT.

A shocking occurrence, says our Cork Correspondent, is reported from Cloughduv, Crookstown, Co. Cork. At about seven o'clock on Tuesday night two men entered the residence of the Rev. Father Murphy, C.C., near the church at Cloughduv, and went to the kitchen. They were armed with revolvers.

In the kitchen was the priest's housekeeper, Anne White, a woman of advanced years. At the point of the revolver she was ordered out of the house by the unknown visitors, who, on reaching the road, were joined by two others. The housekeeper was placed on a car and driven away to an unoccupied lodge some five or six miles in the direction of Cork. Here one of her abductors cut off her hair. She was detained for some time, and then set free, being told not to return to Cloughduv, but to go home—that is, to the neighbourhood of Ballincollig, where her aged parents lived. She walked in that direction; but the hour being late and her strength failing, she was unable to reach her destination, and was compelled to seek refuge in a house on the way. There she was hospitably treated, and next day she was sent back to Cloughduv on a car provided by a friend.

On the same day (Wednesday) the Rev. Father Murphy received a communication stating that his "maid" had been arrested, and would be detained for the present.

The motive for the outrage is not quite clear, but it is understood that the allegation had been made that the housekeeper had given information to Canon Treacy, P.P., Crookstown, as to the movements of armed men. Canon Treacy, however, denies ever, during the eleven years he has been in the parish, did she utter a syllable to him or give the slightest information of the nature suggested.

MISSILES AT A JUDGE.

SCENE IN A LONDON COURT.

A disappointed litigant, who some time ago lost his case before Mr. Justice Romer in the Chancery Division, London, entered the Court yesterday morning, and immediately after the judge had taken his seat the man took from his pocket a handful of stones and dashed them at Mr. Justice Romer.

He was seized by the ushers, and later his lordship committed him to Brixton Prison.

The man shouted that he had been victimised by the decision of that Court, and without any warning took from his pocket a handful of pebbles and gravel, which he threw with great force at the judge. Before he could be stopped he threw two more handfuls with tremendous energy. Fortunately, none hit the judge, but the pebbles scattered over the desks of the registrar and the judge's clerk.

His Lordship, in sending the man to prison, told him that he had committed a very gross contempt of court.

Mr. Ralph Thicknesse, a London solicitor, the eldest surviving son of the late Bishop Thicknesse, and brother of Prebendary Thicknesse, Rural Dean of Westminster, died on Thursday at Shaftesbury, Dorset, aged 68.

SCHOOLBOYS' STRIKE.

DEMAND FOR ADOPTION OF SUMMER-TIME.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
MIDLETON, Friday.

Following the decision of the Christian Brothers, Midleton, Co. Cork, to ignore summer time, fifty boys went on "strike" to-day, and refused to go back to school until summer time is adopted. They plead that they have less time for play.

UNIONISTS' DUTY.

LORD MIDLETON AND PROPHETS OF DISASTER.

The Earl of Midleton, speaking at a meeting of the Guildford Unionist Council yesterday, said that Lord Birkenhead made a prediction that the Conservative Party was being driven by the Government swiftly and tragically to a *débâcle* greater than that of 1906. Moreover, a section of the Press tried periodically to pull out the linch-pin of the party by asserting that the Prime Minister's health had given away, and that there was no one to replace him.

The Government's supporters might well feel appalled if these statements rested on fact; but he suggested that they were hallucinations, due to a vision distorted by past illusions. If Lord Birkenhead was to continue his conspicuous services to his party, he must cultivate more philosophic feelings about those who gave right advice when he happened to be wrong.

The Government had already done substantial work in restoring financial equilibrium, and already there was a revival of trade. A grave responsibility rested upon members of Parliament to guard against surprises, because until wiser Labour leaders became masters of the Labour Party situation, the country was in danger of the same fate as befel Russia.

THE ROYAL WEDDING.

THE BRIDE'S NEW STATUS.

The following official announcement was issued from Buckingham Palace last night:—In accordance with the settled general rule that a wife takes the *status* of her husband, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon on her marriage has become Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York, with the *status* of a Princess.

PRINCE'S MESSAGES OF MESSAGES OF THANKS TO THE NORTH.

The Governor of Northern Ireland has received the following message by wireless:—"I greatly appreciate the telegram I have received from the people of Northern Ireland, and I would like you to convey to them my very warm thanks.—Albert."

The Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland (Rev. Dr. Strahan) received the following telegram yesterday in reply to the message of congratulation that he sent to the Duke and Duchess of York:—"We heartily thank you for your kind message, and we much appreciate that the ministers and members of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland are thinking of us to-day.—Albert and Elizabeth."

The King sent the following message to the Lord Mayor of Belfast on Thursday night:—"It is very gratifying to the Queen and myself to think that the Duke and Duchess of York are in the thoughts of the citizens of Belfast to-day, and we heartily thank you and them for your good wishes.—George, R.I."

Copies of yesterday's issue of the *Irish Times*, containing the remarkable series of photographs of the Royal wedding, which were brought to Dublin by aeroplane, can be obtained at our head office in Dublin, and our branch offices in Belfast, Cork, and London.

11 TENEMENT FIRE VICTIMS.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Eleven persons were burned to death and twenty injured in a tenement house fire here to-day.—(Reuter.)

MANSIONS BURNED.

OUTRAGES IN TWO COUNTIES.

AN ACT OF REPRISAL.

Durrow Abbey, four miles from Tullamore, the seat of Mr. Ottway Graham Toler, was burned to the ground early yesterday morning by armed raiders, of whom there seemed to have been a considerable number. It was a magnificent building of ornamental cut stone, and beautifully furnished. The valuable furniture, fittings, library and rare paintings were destroyed.

Mr. Toler has not resided at Durrow Abbey for some time, but a staff of servants occupied the house.

The raiders arrived at about midnight, and stated that they had come to burn the place under orders, as a reprisal for executions.

The house had been fitted up with electric light and refurnished with all modern requirements about ten years ago.

The damage is estimated at about £60,000.

The mansion and surroundings have great historic interest. There it was that St. Columba founded his famous monastery and school in the sixth century. The property was given by Queen Elizabeth to the Herberts, but afterwards came into the possession of the family of Lord Norbury, the famous judge, who was himself a Toler. It has since remained in possession of the Toler family. St. Columba's Cross and Well—near the burned mansion—and other remains of the past, still are objects of great historic interest and reverence.

COUNTY GALWAY.

CLONCAH HOUSE DESTROYED.

Cloncah House, a fine old mansion on the Mountalbot property, County Galway, was burned to the ground on Thursday night. Cloncah House was formerly occupied by Mr. Crosbie Talbot, while acting as agent for the Mountalbot property. At the time of its destruction it was unoccupied.

BURNING OF SPIDDAL HOUSE.

Spiddal House, the property of Lord Killanin, was burned down by armed incendiaries on Wednesday night. The incendiaries, who came from the Connemara direction, gave the caretaker and servants notice to clear out, and then set the house on fire.

Spiddal House is the property of Lord Killanin, who, with his family, has been associated with the life of the West for many years. Lord Killanin left a year ago for London, where he has resided ever since, leaving only a caretaker and servants in charge of Spiddal House, the beautiful grounds of which have always been freely thrown open to the public.

SEIZURE OF TRAWLER.

BRITISH NOTE TO MOSCOW GOVERNMENT.

FROM OUR DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT.

The Note which the British Government is sending to Moscow regarding the seizure of the trawler James Johnson, and various other breaches of international comity with which the Soviet Government is charged, has not yet assumed its final form, and will not be despatched for some days yet.

On the nature of the Russian reply will depend the British Government's decision—whether to retain its agent, Mr. Hodgson, at Moscow, or to withdraw him. It is clearly a Cabinet matter, and no definite action is to be expected for the moment.

Though the visit of Mr. Wise to Moscow has no reference to political questions, his demonstration of the possibilities of trade development with Great Britain may cause the Soviet Government to hesitate before adopting an attitude that would curtail, if it did not completely end, the very restricted commercial relations established since the trade agreement was signed.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY.

THE CHANCELLORSHIP.

A special meeting of the Senate of Queen's University, Belfast, was held yesterday, at which the resignation of the Chancellor, Lord Shaftesbury, was reported and accepted with regret.

The Senate requested Dr. John Campbell, Chairman of Convocation, to summon a meeting for the election of a new Chancellor.

The Senate fixed the salary of the Vice-Chancellor, to succeed the Right Hon. the Rev. Dr. Hamilton, who has resigned, at £2,000 per annum, with residence and superannuation rights.

JAMES LARKIN'S RETURN.

ARRIVAL IN ENGLAND.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
SOUTHAMPTON, Friday.

James Larkin, who has been deported from New York, was amongst the second class passengers on the White Star liner Majestic, which arrived at Southampton this evening. He declined to be interviewed. When asked if he had anything to say his answer with a smile was, "Not a word."

Questioned as to whether he intended to go to Ireland he replied, "I am the child of circumstances."

Reference to the ship's papers showed that apparently he was proceeding to an address in Dublin.

He was further asked if anyone was travelling with him, but the only answer was, "I cannot say."

Larkin later proceeded to London by the boat train from Southampton.

IRISH REPUBLICAN MISSION TO AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Mr. Bruce, the Federal Prime Minister, expressed satisfaction that the New South Wales Government proposes to take immediate action if Father O'Flanagan, Mr. O'Kelly, or any other person pursues activities in support of the rebels against the Irish Free State.

Mr. Bruce points out that since the repeal of the War Precaution Act, the Commonwealth has been powerless regarding the utterances of envoys hitherto, although their many insulting and misguided statements have incensed the bulk of the people. They would, he declared, have not been permitted to land but for the carelessness of the home Government in issuing their passports and in failing to notify the Comonwealth authorities of the nature of their mission.—(Reuter.)

REICHSBANK PROFITS.

BERLIN, Friday.

The Reichsbank annual report for 1922 shows a net profit of 43,500 million marks, compared with 565 millions in the previous year. A dividend of 40 per cent. was declared, compared with 10 per cent. in the previous year. The share of the German Government in the year's net profit has been fixed at 17,200 million marks.—(Reuter.)

HURLERS DETAINED.

Three members of the Cork hurling team who visited Galway yesterday to play in the matches in the Fitzgibbon Cup-tie were detained on suspicion by the military authorities, but were released in time to take part in the match.

CAPTURED IN A RAID.

Men from the Criminal Investigation Department, Oriel House, have raided a house in Capel street, Dublin, and captured one Martini Enfield rifle, one revolver, 200 rounds of rifle ammunition, and 40 rounds of revolver ammunition.

It is announced from Bucharest that the King and Queen of Rumania propose to visit the capitals of Western Europe next August. Their tour will include Brussels, London, Paris, Rome, and Belgrade.

A MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION.

YOUNG MAN INJURED AT CLONTARF.

SUPPOSED ATTEMPT TO WRECK BRIDGE.

A mysterious explosion is being investigated by the police and military at Clontarf. The only person who, it is said, can explain how it happened is lying in hospital. He was treated for a leg wound immediately after the explosion.

At 10.30 o'clock last night, it appears, "something" exploded with a deafening sound at Strandville avenue, near Clontarf Railway Station, which is guarded by soldiers. Strandville avenue is a laneway running from the seafront at Clontarf to the Howth road; it opens out on to the station. The point where the explosion took place is about fifty yards from the nearest railway bridge.

The station guard were on the *qui vive*, but no attack came. Within a few minutes, however, five young men approached, and one of them was seen to be staggering, as if in pain. They were admitted into the station premises.

One of the men fainted when taken into a room, and it was learned that he had been cut severely about the right leg as a result of the explosion. He was brought round by an army medical officer, but, after giving his name and address, he collapsed before he could explain how he came by his wounds.

The injured man is William Jenkinson, aged 19, of 26 Spencer street, North Strand, Dublin.

An ambulance was summoned, and Jenkinson was taken to Jervis street Hospital. There an *Irish Times* representative was informed that all he said was that he thought he had been struck by something like a rocket."

The scene of the explosion was visited, but no evidence was found that would indicate a land mine as the cause. From the little damage done it is assumed that the explosion was that of one or more bombs.

The police believe that an attempt to wreck the railway bridge or an attack on the railway station had been contemplated by some persons, and that the explosives, while being carried to the spot, had fallen to the ground and been detonated.

Up till three o'clock this morning, however, the police had found no clue which could be followed with any hope of a successful issue.

Clontarf Railway Station only a fortnight ago was attacked by a motor-cyclist bomber, who damaged the waiting-room and wounded a member of the military guard.

DOUBLE TAXATION.

EFFECT ON BRITISH SECURITIES.

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

With reference to the arrangements that have been concluded between the British Government and the Government of the Irish Free State with a view to the avoidance of double taxation, we are able to state that the procedure to be followed in relation to British Government Stocks inscribed in the books of the Bank of Ireland in Dublin, with certain exceptions, will be as follows:—

Each country will allow one-half of the lower of the two standard rates. The Bank of England, acting on behalf of the British Government, will allow 2s. 3d. in the £ from the present English rate of income tax (4s. 6d.), retaining 2s. 3d. as tax, and the Bank of Ireland will allow a similar amount from the Irish rate of 5s in the £, retaining 2s. 9d. as tax. Thus the stockholder registered in the books of the Bank of Ireland in Dublin will receive his dividend, less 5s. in the £, the Irish rate to which he is liable, if a full taxpayer. The exceptions include 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947, the dividends on which are not taxed at the source, and 4 per cent. War Loan Tax Compounded, 1929-1942.

A point that may be noted in connection with the matter is that dividends on Government Stocks up to and including an annual income of £5 are not taxed at the source, but an annual dividend of £5 0s. 1d. is taxed at the full standard rate.

It may be further pointed out that the registered holder of Government Stock, who is not liable to income tax, can obtain payment of his dividends without deduction of tax, notwithstanding the fact that they amount to over £5 per annum, if he lodges with the Bank of Ireland a certificate from the Income Tax authorities that he is exempt. This arrangement does not extend to a person who is liable to half the standard rate—that is, a person whose assessable income does not exceed £225. His tax is deducted in full, and he must make a claim to the Income Tax authorities for the abatement to which he is entitled.

SOME INCOME TAX PROBLEMS.

The writers of the letter signed "Enquirer," in our issue of the 21st inst., and the letter signed "Another Enquirer," in our issue of Tuesday, on the subject of income tax abatements, are labouring under a misapprehension in thinking that the British Government will not allow any statutory abatements on income tax to Irish holders of English revenue-bearing securities. The assurance, definitely given by President Cosgrave in the Dail, to the effect that Irish Free State holders of investments in England will not be subject to more than the higher of the rates in operation in either country should set their fears at rest. While it is true we have been reduced to the *status* of Colonials, we shall enjoy also the Colonials' privileges.

Any doubt that may have been entertained regarding the matter would appear to be set at rest by the memorandum prepared by the President and published in our issue of Monday. The paragraph which states that "the arrangements for a relief from double taxation do not prejudice the ordinary allowance enjoyed by taxpayers by reference to the total amount of their income" would seem to convey to the lay mind that those whose incomes are under the taxable limits, and those who are entitled by reason of the amount of their assessable incomes to pay at half the standard rate, will continue to receive the same relief as heretofore, irrespective of the fact that portion of their incomes may be derived from investments in Great Britain.

PERSONS RESIDENT IN ENGLAND.

The point raised by the writer of the letter signed "Agent" in our issue of Tuesday, as to how the question of double taxation will affect residents in England having property or deriving income from investments in the Irish Free State, would also seem to be covered by the President's memorandum. A person resident in the Irish Free State is liable to Free State income tax on his income from all sources, including income from Great Britain and Northern Ireland. The total relief due from both Governments covers the lower of the two rates of tax—British and Free State—and the taxpayer is left liable for tax at the higher rate. If the rate of tax is the same in both countries, the taxpayer pays no more tax than the tax due at the common rate.

The memorandum notes that the arrangement is reciprocal in character, and both Governments undertake to give the same measure of relief. It would appear to follow, therefore, that a person resident in Great Britain will be liable to British income tax on his income from all sources, including income from the Irish Free State, but will only be required to pay at the higher of the rates in either of the countries.

It is a matter for departmental regulation as to how effect will be given to this general principle, but that an Irishman resident in the Free State and deriving an income from England, and a resident in Great Britain deriving an income from the Irish Free State, will not be subject to double taxation, and will be entitled to the same statutory abatements as heretofore, does not appear to be in any doubt.

NORTHERN PRIVY COUNCIL.

The *Belfast Gazette* states that the following have been sworn as members of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland:—The Right Hon. Thomas Shillington, the Right Hon. Robert G. Glendinning, the Right Hon. Samuel Cunningham, Colonel the Right Hon. R. D. Percival Maxwell, D.S.O., and the Right Hon. William H. H. Lyons, D.L.

PRINCE OF WALES IN BELGIUM.

WELCOMED ON THE MOLE AT ZEEBRUGGE.

GUEST OF KING IN THE PALACE.

ZEEBRUGGE, Friday.

The Duke of Brabant and Prince Charles left Brussels by special train at 4.45 p.m. to-day to meet the Prince of Wales at Zeebrugge. The Royal special reached Zeebrugge shortly before 7 o'clock and proceeded on to the Mole opposite the landing stage. The coast lay wrapped in the beauty of a perfect evening, the long white Mole throwing a deep shadow on the sparkling waters, from which a slight breeze was blowing on to the land. A military guard of honour was drawn up in the station, which was draped in many British and Belgian flags.

Shortly before half-past seven o'clock H.M.S. Caledon could be discerned looming out of the evening mist with the setting sun behind her. Rounding the great length of the Mole, the warship slowly and majestically made her way alongside the gangway.

When the vessel had made fast, the Prince of Wales, wearing naval uniform, stepped briskly ashore, and was cordially greeted by the Belgian Princes. After various presentations had been made, the Princes entered the Royal train, which left immediately for Brussels to the strains of the British National Anthem, played by a Belgian military band.

A delightful suite of rooms has been set apart for the Prince of Wales in the west wing of the Royal Palace, in Brussels. The Prince's apartments consist of a spacious reception room, looking on to the public gardens; a writing room, commanding a bird's eye view of the city; a bedroom, pannelled in white and rose du barri, with a white-tiled bathroom adjoining. The three rooms are charmingly furnished, the floors being covered with thick grey carpets, and the walls hung with paintings of former Kings and Queens of the Belgians.

Among those invited by the British Ambassador to luncheon with the Prince to-morrow at the Embassy are the Duke of Brabant, the Count of Flanders (Prince Charles), M. Brunet, President of the Chamber of Deputies; M. Theunis, the Prime Minister; M. Jaspar, the Foreign Minister; M. Max, Burgomaster of Brussels; Earl Haig, Rear-Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, and various Belgian Cabinet Ministers, members of the Belgian Royal Household, and the *personnel* of the British Embassy.—(Press Association's Special Correspondent.)

GERMANY'S OFFER.

NOTE TO ALLIES NEXT WEEK.

BERLIN, Thursday.

It now seems probable that the expected move by the German Government in the matter of reparations cannot be made until early next week, negotiations on the subject having taken longer than was anticipated.

There is little doubt that the Government's step will take the form of a Note to all the Allied Powers, which will propose a certain sum on the basis of the proposal which was to have been made at the Paris Conference.

It is also believed that the Government will declare itself ready, on certain conditions, to have Germany's paying capacity estimated by a Commission of international experts, on which Germany would be represented.—(Reuter.)

ABANDONED LINER.

THREE BOATS REACH PORT.

WALFISCH BAY (S.W. AFRICA), Friday.

Three of the boats belonging to the wrecked Mossamedes have arrived at Port Alexander.—(Reuter.)

CONNEMARA AND DUBLIN

MR. JACK B. YEATS'S NEW STUDIES OF IRISH LIFE.

Mr. Jack B. Yeats's exhibition of pictures at the Stephen's Green Gallery, 7 St. Stephen's Green, is made up largely of studies of life in the West of Ireland, studies so vigorous and so full of character that they reveal the artist himself in every line—or defiance of line. For often Mr. Yeats's bold brush stroke suggests the idea, the inner motive of emotional or physical life, rather than reproduces fully the material subject of his picture. There are many instances of this creative faculty in the exhibition—this ability to reveal the motion or translate the expression that the artist visions for his "life" studies.

In "The Boat Builder" (5) one sees all the uneventful life of the country in the Connemara grandfather who is brought out in his chair to watch the boat being repaired by the man "from the town," the son helping, and the girl with all her interest centred in the stranger. "The Bog Road," with the turf-cart against the blue, the pose of both figures subtly relaxed, is also eloquent of time standing still. "From the Train" is an exquisite stretch of pale tones—in sharp contrast to Mr. Yeats's habitual liking for sombre colour. Heavy dense tones he manipulates to great freedom, often lightness—as in "A Shannon Trader" (3); "The Rock Fisherman, Mayo" (10), where the sky alone lightens the solitary figure; and "On a Western Quay" (24).

A beautiful harmony in greys is "A Western Town, Evening," the lounging figures strangely rhythmic, and the gold of sky and light on the hill and wall being very fine. "Nephin" (19), the stone wall, with quiet hill in the background, is restful and grows on one, as does also the deserted street of "Clifden" (9), with its note of colour in the foreground.

One of the gems of the show is (14) "The Coast of Mayo," where sheer cliff and strip of sea make for lovely colour. Who could guess that this cleft in a rock opens the highway—or, rather, seaway—to village life beyond?

But more important, perhaps, than the prevailing "West" studies are some "Dublin" pictures. "Glasnevin, Early Morning" (6) is a graveside group, each figure instinct with expression and life-like pose, and the growing light finely graded. "National Airs" (15) is an impressionist reminiscence of the "Empire Theatre," with the orchestra's first bars of "The Wearing of the Green." Even the attendants respond to the idea.

"The Dog-Stealer" (8), with its irresponsible figure, one boot off and one with the dog in the basket, would strike us as very much "from the life," even if one did not know that Mr. Yeats never pictured from imagination. Two more conventional pictures, "In Kildare" (2) and "Canal Lock" are none the less satisfactory in colour, composition and tone. Perhaps, the best of all is "The Daughter of the Circus." The expression of the girl clown, the tense interest of the crowded children, the contrast of grass and tent-roof, the sense of sunlight through the gap—all are things to dwell on. "From the Metal Bridge" is a powerful night scene, the high lights of buildings and broken cloud is strikingly successful.

There are many more exhibits one could study with advantage, such as the drawings and illustrations. The exhibition will remain open for a fortnight.

Mayoral contests in the chief centres of New Zealand resulted in the election of the Citizens' candidates and the defeat of the Labour nominees.

The United Diocesan Councils of Glendalough and Kildare met on Thursday. The Archbishop of Dublin presided. The other members present were:—Archdeacon of Glendalough, Canon Johnson, Rev. J. S. Long, Major E. H. C. Wellesley, Lord Frederick FitzGerald, Mr. E. N. Wynne, Mr. W. J. Shepard, Mr. W. T. Kirkpatrick, His Honor J. H. Moore, Mr. T. A. Tombe, Dean of Kildare, Canon Clover, Canon Craig, Mr. T. P. Trench, Mr. C. C. Palmer, Colonel C. Graham, Mr. G. Leycester Penrhyn. The lists of Synodsmen were revised. The draft report to Synods was read, amended, and adopted. Having transacted the remaining business, the Councils adjourned until Thursday, June 14th.

HELP FOR THE EX-SERVICE MAN.

WORK OF THE DUBLIN SOCIETY.

"A WONDERFUL RECORD."

An interesting account of the excellent work done by the Irish branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society during the past year was given at the annual Council meeting of the branch, which was held at 12 Merrion square, Dublin, yesterday morning.

Amongst those who attended the meeting were:—Lady Arnott, D.B.E.; Lady Holm-Patrick, the Countess of Fingall, Mrs. Greer, Mrs. J. Fetherstonhaugh, O.B.E.; Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Blount, M.B.E.; Miss Sullivan, Miss Croker, Lord HolmPatrick, Sir Frederick Shaw, Bart., D.S.O.; Sir John Lumsden, K.B.E.; Colonel McDonnell, Colonel Branston Newman, and the Rev. Canon Magill.

Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, in proposing that Lady Arnott be appointed Vice-President, said that Lady Arnott was one of the original members of the first committee formed of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society, and she proposed the appointment as a small appreciation of the work that Lady Arnott had done for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society in Ireland.

Sir Frederick Shaw, who seconded the motion, said that they all knew what Lady Arnott had done all through for the Society since it was started, and no one could fill the position better.

The motion having been passed unanimously, Lady Arnott took the chair.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS' WORK.

She said that she warmly appreciated the honour of being elected Vice-President of the Council of the Irish branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society. Last year they had Lady FitzAlan presiding at their Council meeting, but, as their annual report announced, with the close of the year 1922 their Society in Ireland entered on another phase of its existence. The ending of the Irish Viceroyalty and the departure of the British troops had meant the passing of a whole state of society, the coming of an entirely new order of things. For twenty-two years their Council and Executive Committee meetings were held in the Privy Council Chamber at Dublin Castle, and during those years they had as succeeding Presidents the influential friendship and support of Lady Cadogan, Lady Dudley, Lady Aberdeen, Lady Wimborne, Lord Ypres, and Lady FitzAlan. Great soldiers sat on their Executive Committee, the Duke of Connaught being their first chairman, and he was succeeded by Lord Grenfell, Sir Neville Lyttelton, Sir Arthur Paget, General Friend, Sir John Maxwell, Sir Bryan Mahon, Sir Frederick Shaw, and Sir Nevil Macready. She thought that Lady Fingall and she were the only remaining members of the first Executive Committee meeting organised in 1900 and put into working trim to meet the needs of soldiers returning from the Boer War.

The chain of workers, extending over the whole country in those days, with an Employment Bureau and Workrooms for Disabled Soldiers here in Dublin, did splendid work for the broken men of that war. Until 1914 their annual reports recorded quiet and steady help given to old soldiers and to those who had fought in the Crimea, or in Egyptian, South African, and Indian Frontier campaigns. With the great war came renewed activities, and, until the Naval and Military Pensions Act came into operation, additional work was thrown on their Society in the administration of the National Relief Fund received from the Headquarters office. From August, 1914, to July, 1916, £18,050 of this Fund passed through their Hon. Treasurers' hands. Many of their officials and soldiers' friends then joined the local War Pensions Committees, and in September, 1921, a letter from the Minister of Pensions was received acknowledging "the help which the voluntary workers have so generously given," and "who stepped in and filled the breach at a time of great emergency, and so prevented what might have been an entire collapse of the system of administering grants and allowances."

THE DUBLIN OFFICE.

They knew what the British State had tried to do for the broken men of the Great War—from August, 1914, to last month £470,000,000 had been expended on war pensions and £60,000,000 in efforts to cure men disabled in the war. In spite of every care, hard cases had occurred and mistakes and delays, and here it was that their Society tried to come in and help. The report for 1922 recorded their Dublin office, as an advisory and letter-writing bureau and investigator of grievances, and food orders or financial assistance were always given to very necessitous cases. The 3,108 letters written in that office and the 5,330 cases dealt with showed the need for their Society in Ireland; and so they were facing forward, in spite of changed conditions and many difficulties, imbued with the earnest wish to help the ex-Service men who fought in the Great War and previous campaigns in defence of home and country and for the high ideals and enthusiasms that had formed and brought together the great British Commonwealth of Nations.

The General Secretary (Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh) announced that she had received letters of apology for absence from Lady De Freyne, Lady Florence Beresford Ash, Mrs. Connollan, Mrs. Broone, of Breaghey; Miss King-Harman, Colonel Lord Ardee, Sir Nugent Everard, Major C. K. O'Hara, and Mr. F. H. Mullan.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

The report for the year ending 31st December last regretted the loss of the help and advice of the many great soldiers who, from time to time, had occupied the position of Chairman or had sat on the Committee at Dublin Castle during their period of service in this country. The branch had, as long as its funds last, a great deal of work before it. A word of thanks was due to Lord FitzAlan of Derwent and Sir John Lumsden, who procured large sums from a Government fund at their disposal, which have enabled them to carry on their work. On Tuesday, November 21st, immediately before his departure, Sir Nevil Macready, Commander-in-Chief, distributed, at 12 Merrion square (by kind permission of Lady Arnott), a number of certificates issued by the instructions of H.R.H. Princess Christian (President of the Society), to some of those ladies and gentlemen who had given so generously of their time and services to the ex-Service men during the Great War, and the fact that this acknowledgment was totally unexpected had made the certificates all the more appreciated by those who were fortunate enough to receive them.

Dealing with Dublin City and County, the report stated:—"During 1922 our expenditure in relief has not been quite so heavy as during the previous year, but as an advisory and letter-writing bureau and investigator of grievances the number of cases has increased, 3,108 letters having been written in connection with various cases. The men appreciate the help given them, and many letters of gratitude have been received.

"During the year 5,330 cases were dealt with, and, as regards financial assistance, 1,470 men were helped at a cost of £1,297 5s. 3d. The Society deals with some of the hardest cases among ex-Service men. For instance, men who with nominal or no pensions are certified by a doctor to be suffering from illness non-attributable to military or naval service, and are consequently not entitled to treatment and the treatment allowances under War Pensions Act during the period they are unfit for work. We are the only military society in Ireland which deals with cases of this nature. It should be remembered that in this country there was no Conscription Act in force during the great war. All the men gave their services voluntarily, and when they are broken in health, no matter what their disability may be, we endeavour to show them that they are not forgotten when in need of temporary help during a period of incapacity for self-support.

The county branches were continuing their work under many and grave difficulties. The Rev. W. H. Smith, Hon. Secretary in South Tipperary, and his faithful band of helpers raised £100 at a bazaar held literally under rifle fire, and so highly was his work thought of in the Clonmel district that he had received a cheque for £50 from the funds of the recently disbanded Royal Irish Regiment.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

The report paid high tribute to numerous workers, and, dealing with the Employment Bureau, it stated that its work continued to be very actively and successfully carried on. During the past year 436 men had been registered on the books, while employment was obtained for 221 men. To have succeeded in obtaining employment for over 50 per cent.

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TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

UNEMPLOYMENT.

THE QUESTION OF MONEY RELIEF.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

Dr. Macnamara, in his sympathetic and reasoned speech, drew attention to an aspect of the general problem (of unemployment) which is often too lightly regarded when he said that the first and main object must be continuity of employment, with money relief as a rather bad second best. The system of money relief is admittedly necessary to-day. The real point is that, if in the future it continues to be necessary, we shall have failed to solve the problem of unemployment. The present necessity for it is regretted by all parties, and the number of those who prefer to be supported, rather than to support themselves, is inconsiderable.

But it happens too often that those who are loudest in their condemnation of a social system which permits the indignity of State support are impatient of the only means by which remedy is obtainable. They fail to realise that unemployment is incapable of isolation, that it has its roots widespread in the decayed markets of the world, and that, like a weed, it will persist until the decay upon which it feeds has been removed. It is for this reason that the employment policy of this, or of any Government, cannot be criticised as a thing apart. The weekly figures are affected, though not at once, by events in foreign countries that would seem at first to bear no relation to them.

GERMAN OFFER IMMINENT.

BELIEF IN PARIS.

Telegraphing from Paris last night, *The Times* Correspondent states:—It was stated at the Quai d'Orsay to-day that information received here is to the effect that an offer will be made by Germany either this week-end or early next week. The French attitude is precisely as it has been described in *The Times*, but since it is now acknowledged it may be set forth more fully. The Government, after the meeting of Ministers yesterday, has come to the conclusion that a declaration at present from Germany will represent only a *politique de façade*. It is convinced that there is no intention to make proposals which will be acceptable to the French, but merely an attempt to conciliate British and American opinion in particular, and to appeal to the world in general. Three points were emphasised:—(1) There can be no question of leaving the determination of the total of the German debt to experts. (2) Passive resistance in the Ruhr must cease before there can be negotiations. (3) The Ruhr will not in any circumstances be evacuated except on the conditions explained by M. Poincaré.

Further, it is the view of the French Government that neither the Reparation Commission nor any other international body can fix the German liability at a lower figure than that of 132 milliard gold marks (£6,600,000,000), as provided in the Schedule of Payments of May, 1921. That is the starting point for the French Government, and only the Allied Governments, under arrangements concluded between themselves, can reduce this amount. France insists on adequate compensation for any diminution of her credits. M. Barthou and M. Delacroix, who are making a report on this subject, are not acting as members of the Reparation Commission, but as representatives of the French and Belgian Governments.

THE RETURN OF MEXICO.

COMING MEETINGS WITH UNITED STATES.

For many years past—during all those years when the rest of the world was making great and tragic history—Mexico has been under a cloud, remarks *The Times* editorially. Her prosperity was blighted. Her name had become a byword for hopeless anarchy and irremediable disorder. Once an important field for foreign commercial and industrial enterprise, she had lost her credit, and had sunk into a position of ignominy among the nations. It is hardly yet realised that of late Mexico has been slowly recovering. Since 1920 she has had a stable Government, which has been working hard, and by no means without success, to restore order in the country, and to repair the devastation wrought by ten years of anarchy.

One pleasant symptom of the change is the improvement in the international position. The recognition of the Government of Mexico seems now to be in a fair way towards solution. The Mexican Government have appointed Commissioners who will shortly meet Commissioners appointed by the United States Government in a series of meetings, which may be expected to end in the recognition of the Government of President Obregon. The forthcoming meetings are moreover of great importance for other countries, for our own in particular.

ACROSS THE SAHARA.

NEWS FROM CAPTAIN BUCHANAN.

Private advices which have been received in this country within the last few days from Captain Angus Buchanan, M.C., who set out from Nigeria a year ago to cross the Sahara, report his arrival at Tamanraset, in Southern Algeria, said *The Times*.

The news comes unexpectedly, previous information being to the effect that the expedition had failed in its purpose.

SANCTITY OF WOMAN.

The *Daily Express* says:—King George, Emperor of India, has acted swiftly and wisely in conferring the great distinction of the Kaisar-I-Hind Gold Medal on Mrs. Starr for her heroic and successful effort to rescue Miss Mollie Ellis from the hands of a murderous marauding band of Afridis on the Indian frontier. For the sanctity of one white woman the whole machinery of Government would be put in action, if necessary. No people will understand this better than the Americans, who will go to any length—legal or ultra legal—if need be to preserve the sanctity of woman.

THE BLOCKADE IN PARLIAMENT.

The House of Commons is overweighted with business, to which it cannot give adequate attention. That is the simple explanation, says the *Westminster Gazette*, of the proposals that are being put forward, both by the Labour Party and by other sections of the House, for a remodelling of the Parliamentary time table in the effort to gain time. The discussion of the annual estimates has been cut down to an allotted time, which is quite insufficient for proper examination of details; bills have been sent to committees upstairs which are deserving of debate in a full House. The time allotted to private members has been cut to rags, until we have such brief debates of the problem of unemployment as was possible yesterday in the few hours of a Friday sitting. Yet the work proves beyond the capacity of members. The real remedy is probably in the delegation of much of the work that is now done in a central Parliament to local constituent assemblies, and a greater use of the Standing Committees which already do much of the work that was formerly brought to the House itself.

A REPORT DENIED.

The National Army Headquarters issued the following statement last night:—

"The report stating that an officer had been shot dead near Dingle, and appearing in the Dublin newspapers dated 27th inst., is false."

RAILWAY ENGINEERS' DECISION.

The Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen has decided not to accept the proposals of the railway companies for a revision of the national agreement relating to conciliation grades in view of the prosperous condition of the companies.

PREPARING FOR ELECTION

MINISTERS' ACCOUNTS OF THEIR STEWARDSHIP.

THE WORK OF THE FUTURE.

The first Convention of the Cumann na nGaedheal—the body which has been formed to support the policy of the present Administration of the Irish Free State—was held yesterday in the Mansion House, Dublin.

At a public meeting in the evening addresses were given by Mr. Cosgrave, Mr. O'Higgins, Mr. Blythe, and General Mulcahy.

Mr. O'Higgins said that the task of the Government had been to create the machinery of State. It had been compelled to do unpopular things for the preservation of the State, and it always had acted in the national interest. Ireland needed all her sons. His advice to the people was, "Obey your own laws."

A MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE.

The first Convention of Cumann na nGaedheal, the new political organisation supporting the Government party in the Irish Free State, was held in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday.

The delegates sat in private throughout the day. The attendance, which was large, included: General Richard Mulcahy, Minister of Defence; Mr. J. J. Walsh, Postmaster-General; Mr. Padraig O'Maille, Deputy Speaker of the Dail; Mr. Joseph Whelehan, Assistant Minister of Industry and Commerce; Mr. F. MacGuinness, Mr. W. L. Cole, Senator P. W. Kenny, Senator P. de Loughrey, Mr. P. J. M. Goldrick, Mr. Con Byrne, Mr. John Sweetman, and Senator Mrs. Wyse Power.

In the evening there was a public meeting in the Supper Room. Professor MacNeill was in the chair, and among those on the platform were:—President Cosgrave, Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Minister for Home Affairs; Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister for Local Government; General Mulcahy. The proceedings were marked by great enthusiasm.

The Chairman said that he was glad to find the meeting a very representative one. Delegates were there from all parts of the country. As one of the listeners at the earlier meeting he was glad to notice that the unanimous attitude of the delegates was: "Eyes front." They were looking forward to the building up of the Ireland of the future, and they discussed with great keenness the problems that were likely to face Irishmen. Their discussions also reflected the sense of responsible citizenship in the State. That sense could not be expected to grow widespread and universal in the course of a few months. Perhaps it would be remarkable if it developed in the course of a few years. But they had it proved there and in various parts of the country, that that sense was already highly developed in many citizens, and that they might have confidence that it would be widespread and universal, and one of the characteristic qualities of the Irish nation in the future.

The object of that organisation was to consolidate and build up the Irish nation on sound national, cultural, economic, and political lines. That was no small work. It is a work that would require some years yet to accomplish. They felt it necessary that a solid and strong national organisation must be maintained until the work that had been bequeathed to them by the great men who are dead was placed, as far as the ordinary sense of men could see and forecast, beyond the reach of danger. (Applause.)

MR. COSGRAVE.

VIGOROUS NATIONAL SPIRIT.

Mr. Cosgrave said that it was certainly a very fine consideration that, notwithstanding the difficulties and the troubles they were passing through, there was still left in the country a fine, sound, vigorous national spirit, prepared to encounter still further dangers if necessary, prepared to face the difficulties of the times with absolute confidence in the destiny of the nation. (Applause.) If the pogramme of their new organisation was adhered to the country was saved. That programme dealt with the political, cultural, and economic interests of the whole of the country.

They were passing through what was, perhaps, the most difficult period of Ireland's history as a nation. They had to make good the very serious losses which they had sustained, and to carry on the work without the aid and assistance of those who made it possible for their countrymen to see the day they now saw. (Applause.) There might be some who might possibly question the foundations upon which the movement that had secured this result was built up. But looking back for the past 20 years, and realising the difficulties that beset the men that undertook to carve out a new future for Ireland, the difficulties of to-day were small in comparison.

He did not claim that they had set up a perfect governing machine, but if hard work and industry and attention could make it perfect, all those had been put into that machine. (Cheers.) He did not claim that the judgment of the Executive had at all times been perfect or that they had Solomons among them; but, remembering their difficulties, the nation need not be ashamed of the men that did their work. It was an organisation like the Cumann na nGaedheal that would supply the quota to man the Legislature of the future. With the desire to see it properly manned, there was no fear for the future of Ireland.

With the country's position as a nation now recognised, there would naturally be a great deal of breaking up of parties. Sectional interests would occupy the attention of individuals; but he believed that they would have men who would view the situation, not from any sectional standard, but from the point of view of the nation, seeing how what was best for the whole country could be co-ordinated into one policy, aiming at the political and cultural development of the country. Anyone who had followed the fortunes of the national party during the past five or ten years knew that there was no bitterness remaining in the hearts of the men who came through that time. If there had been mistakes made by certain of their fellow countrymen in the past, they were not going to upbraid them with their mistakes. (Cheers.)

An important work for the new organisation to do was to bridge the great many differences that arise in a community of so many interests. The Cumann na nGaedheal ought to attract to itself the best elements of the nation, and it ought to bring home to everyone the vital need for a sound national organisation, knowing neither creed nor class, but working for the best interests of the whole of the people and the whole of the nation.

It was not necessary to explain at any length the many problems confronting a new Government. They were countless. In examining their own administration of twelve or fifteen months, and counting what had been accomplished, one should bear in mind what were their possibilities for doing more. They had attempted to do at least one thing—to organise such an administrative machine that no matter what Government came after them, the best interests of the nation would be safe in the hands of that machine. The Government had not solved the housing question, and they had not solved the land question, but they were able to hand over to their successors a National Army of which the nation was justly proud. (Cheers.)

The head of that Army was on the platform, and he (the speaker) felt sure that he was voicing the opinion of the country when he said that, much as General Mulcahy had done, more still was expected from him. (Loud applause.)

ACCOUNT OF STEWARDSHIP.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Minister for Home Affairs, said that after many months they had met there the representatives of the people—the people of the country, representing those who saw in their new Government, not another class, but men chosen from among their representatives to administer the affairs in the best interests of the nation. After months which had been of necessity months of strain, it was a pleasure to meet people representative of various counties and various districts, and to give, in at least a general way, an account of what was rather an arduous stewardship. It was a pleasure to see the nation, not cynical, not disillusionised, but organising itself for further progress.

The work of the last ten or twelve months, in so far as it had been defensive work, might be described as laying the foundations, and they had attempted to lay the foundations broad and deep on which a worthy State might be reared—broad and deep, and because broad and deep of necessity slow, gradual, and at times painful.

There were those who in their enthusiasm would urge that they should turn their sledge upon every existing piece of State machinery and shatter it to atoms, with the object of remoulding it nearer to their heart's desire. That was the height of folly. It was the time to hang on to whatever piece of State machinery was there, and to utilise it, and not to break anything up until they knew what they were going to substitute for it. (Hear, hear.)

He referred particularly to the judicial system of this country. There had been sitting for some months past a Commission inquiring into the whole matter. They would make recommendations to the Executive as to what legal fabric was required in this country and what was most suited to the needs of the people.

Pending legislation following that report—legislation that would need the most careful consideration—they would be playing the part of the young bull in a china shop if they smashed any existing piece of State machinery they found. It was a question of building from the ground. The foundation was the police force; for the Courts would be something more than a sham without an executive force at their disposal.

They had to build up in difficult times a police force that would be in every sense an efficient servant of the people, and he felt that they had done that. (Applause.) For months and for years to come the Civic Guard would need the sympathetic co-operation of all the people who thought rightly and sanely and fairly in the task that was bound to be difficult; for the negative attitude, the destructive attitude, the irresponsible attitude was not going to change in a few months, and it would be wonderful if it changed in a couple of years. The executive authority and the police would have to grapple with that and change it.

MAGISTRATES.

As regards the disappearance of the honorary magistracy, there was not any great feeling of regret at its disappearance, and there was a very real reason for its failure. Local men were placed in difficult positions when the burden of administering impersonal justice was placed on them. It was not for them to dwell on the deficiencies of honorary magistrates in the past, but to point out that the people were likely to get cleaner, more impersonal, and more impartial law from the justices now founded among them, because they were independent of every section in the area in which they were administering the law.

His message to the people was to "obey your law." (Applause.) It was the highest form of self-respect to obey the law, because there was no law in existence in Ireland now that had not been sanctioned, adopted, or actually initiated and passed by the people's own representatives, sitting in their own Parliament. There were just slight differences between the present Government and the past Castle. (Applause.) It was their Government, and if it failed in the future to develop along the lines laid down in that programme, it would be the people's fault.

He said that generally; it would be the fault of the citizens, or those responsible to them—their representatives in the Dail. They were at beginnings; they were at a new chapter; and if the nation was to go forward in decency, dignity, and self-respect, there should be something in the nature of political amnesty, and something in the nature of broad, generous oblivion of the past. (Applause.)

Parnell said: "Ireland cannot afford to lose a single son." They had people in this country who adhered to the British administration in the past—parentage, environment, and associations made for that. And then the tide came and the British Administration was swept away, and these people were left with all the things that they looked to for protection, and their peculiar inspiration swept away; and many of them felt in a peculiar kind of way that they were at the mercy of their countrymen.

Now the note that they should strike was that for every Irish-born citizen there was a fair future and a fair opportunity for working for the upbuilding of the nation, and the oftener they struck that note, and the stronger, the more quickly would they evolve to the reality of nationhood.

CIVIC SENSE.

Time would work great changes in the future, and that organisation would develop the civic sense and real responsible patriotism within the country. (Applause.) Until a responsible civic sense asserted itself in the country, the task of any Executive that would be elected would be a difficult one. It was always easy to do the thing which was loosely termed "popular," but it was most difficult to do the thing that was unpopular, because they knew, and felt in their inmost convictions, that it was the right thing to do and the best thing to do. (Applause.) They had to do things which, to many minds, thinking superficially, were unpopular, and it was not easy to do them, but they did them, conscious of their stewardship to the people of Ireland, and to the people who would live in Ireland to-morrow and the day after. (Applause.)

It was possible to touch briefly on their period of stewardship, which was fast drawing to a close. ("No, no.") What he did look forward to was, as the election day came and they were in a position to hand over to a succeeding Government, that each one of them aimed at handing over his department, functioning smartly and efficiently, and put into the hands of the people who would have the mandate an efficient system of administration for the country.

As they went out among the people at the general election, and asked their verdict on what they had done, they could say that they stood over and defended the national position, a position which was won by no particular group of individuals, but by the energy, efforts, and self-sacrifice of the whole people, and which, because of that, belonged to the people. If they had saved that, they had done no small thing. (Applause.)

GENERAL MULCAHY.

General Mulcahy said that it was the spirit of nationalism, the spirit of self-sacrifice, that made it possible for the Irish people, through their organisation of the past five or six years, to overcome the difficulties and withstand the trials they had come through. The Cumann na nGaedheal was not so much a new

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organisation as the coming together again and the rallying of the forces that had worked so hard during those past years.

Having elaborated the manner of the development of the national movement inspired by Arthur Griffith, General Mulcahy went on to say that the Irishmen of to-day can affect the Ireland of to-morrow only by the cultivation in themselves of the seeds of order and of discipline. (Applause.) With discipline and ordered thought and national feeling there was no difficulty the nation could not overcome.

Expressing appreciation of the young men of the Army, he said that they had saved the country from a terrible scourge, and had done it without losing their nerve or their temper, or piling up in their hearts any bitterness towards anyone. At the same time they had accomplished a constructive work, appreciated and understood only by those moving about among them very closely.

The country now had to be put under a microscope if it wanted the development of satisfactory social and human conditions. They had to organise themselves to provide comfortable homes and means of livelihood for their people.

He threw out what he described as a few ideas on the problem of unemployment. There must be, if possible, a mathematical way of getting rid of the problem, even though the country had suffered from mathematics from time to time. (Loud applause.) There were public works, like roads, and drainage, and the provision of houses, and others—works of necessity, and at the same time of public economy. It might be possible to have those grouped in zones, according to their necessity, and according as unemployment developed in any of those zones, put them in operation, on plans more or less estimated for.

MR. BLYTHE.

Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister for Local Government, said that there was great need for an organisation such as that. They had not yet reached the stage when an organisation with a definite national plank was not needed. He hoped and believed that before many years it would not be necessary, when the various sections and economic interests could put up their own organisations, and the national interests would be safe, and when it did not matter what section of the nation or what political party came into power. They had advanced along the road, but had not reached that stage yet.

They realised, like Pearse, that it was not enough to have Ireland free; it should be Gaelic as well. He believed that if they lost the national language and failed to revive it, all that had been achieved and all that had been sacrificed in the past were in vain. (Applause.)

They were facing problems which required wisdom and strength and faith, and they should all wake up to the responsibilities of freedom. They should do everything necessary to make that State a State that they might be proud of. He was dealing with various local bodies. Some of them did their work faithfully and well, but there were others who passed foolish resolutions, blaming the Government for doing its duty. (Applause.)

The people who were doing that, and who sought to be popular by passing such resolutions, although they did not believe in them, were not acting up to their responsibilities. Because a thing was unpopular or displeased some people, it was not wrong for the Government to do it. Very often it was right and necessary for the Government to do it. (Applause.) But it was wrong for any body of people who did not understand the circumstances to condemn certain things necessary to save the State, because it pleased some of their neighbours. (Applause.)

If the Government did unpopular things they were necessary in the interests of the State. They were the servants of the people, and if they did their duty they ought not to be reviled, and they ought not to be let down. If they had done right, the people should stand over the unpopular things they had done, as well as over the popular ones. (Applause.)

FINANCE.

Among the problems before them were the financial relations with Great Britain. That should be dealt with wisely, carefully, and firmly. It would be well that there should be a party in the legislature that would support the Government, which would deal with it in that way, having regard to the whole interests of the nation.

Then they had the problem of partition. He was confident that if he lived the normal time that he might expect to live, he would see a completely united Ireland. (Loud applause.) But that, again, was a matter that would need to be dealt with wisely, circumspectly, and broadly, having regard to the interests of the whole nation, and not the interests of a particular class or a certain section.

These were reasons why they required a national party. They required in the people a national-public spirit; a spirit of service to the nation. If all the people had the spirit of the past, there was no doubt that the promises and bright hopes that they entered upon a few years ago would be fully realised, and that in the end there would be no disillusionment at all. (Applause.)

PARTITION.

The Chairman, in concluding the meeting, said that he knew, and everyone in the Government knew, that there was a feeling of anxiety on the part of their friends in the North-East with regard to the fulfilment of the terms of the Treaty. That particular aspect of the national future was never for a day absent from the minds of the Government of Saorstat Eireann. The foundation of their hopes for the future were to be found in the principle of the continuation of an historic Ireland. If Ireland was not going to be a distinctive nation she should not be two separate nations. (Cheers.)

PRIVATE SESSION.

WHAT WAS DONE.

The following report was issued of the proceedings at the private session:—

Representatives were present from every county at the Convention, and careful consideration was given to the objects, programme, and constitution.

The objects and programme were adopted as attached. The final form of the constitution was left to the General Council. Professor Eoin MacNeill was unanimously elected President. The General Council, at present acting, was re-elected to carry on until the next Convention, with a proviso that they would consider nominations and co-opt, so as to give representations from each province.

General arrangements were made to have Cumainn established throughout the country.

It was decided to hold the next Convention not later than the end of September; the General Council to fix the date.

OBJECTS AND PROGRAMME.

To carry on the National tradition, and

To utilise the powers of Government in the hands of the Irish people, as well as other forms of public activity for the fullest development of the nation's heritage—political, cultural, and economic.

1. To secure the unity of Ireland and to combine the divergent elements of the nation in a common bond of citizenship, in harmony with national security.
2. To preserve and foster the national language, literature, games, and arts, and every element of national culture and custom which tends to give Ireland distinction as a nation.
3. To promote the development of agriculture, fisheries, and other natural resources.
4. To stimulate and safeguard the development of suitable manufacturing industries by all means at our disposal.
5. To make the whole soil of Ireland available for the use of the people by completing land purchase and by utilising the depopulated grass lands in accordance with a broad national plan.
6. To obtain the provision of adequate financial assistance for a national scheme of housing, urban and rural.
7. To substitute, as far as possible, for the unemployment dole, national schemes of useful work, including arterial drainage, reafforestation, improvement of roads and waterways.
8. To encourage the proper physical development of the children of Ireland.
9. To secure the fullest opportunities of educational advancement for every section of the community.

NAMES OF GENERAL COUNCIL.—Messrs. F. J. Allan, Monkstown; T. Montgomery, Ballsbridge; J. Montgomery, Booterstown; M. Conlan, North Circular road; B. O'Connor, Donnybrook; D. Fawsitt, Cork; S. Milroy, T.D.; D. MacCarthy, T.D.; S. Hughes, Drumcondra; Mrs. Blythe, Dublin; Mrs. O'Shea Leamy, Summerhill; Senator Mrs. Wyse Power, Henry street; Senator G. Nesbitt, Dublin; J. Silke, Castlerea; F. Dorr, Foxford; Dr. Dillon, Galway; Alderman Monahan, Drogheda; Alderman de Loughrey, Kilkenny; Rev. P. Doyle, Naas; M. Menigan, Cork; Senator P. W. Kenny, Waterford; Senator O'Rourke, Inniskeen; G. Murnaghan, and Dr. McNabb, Belfast.

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MINE EXPLOSION.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A DUBLIN CINEMA.

TWO PERSONS INJURED

An unsuccessful attempt was made to wreck the Grand Central Cinema, in Sackville street, Dublin, yesterday morning, when shortly before eight o'clock a powerful land mine was exploded on the steps leading to the entrance hall.

The report was heard throughout the city, and within ten minutes military and members of the Criminal Investigation Department, Oriel House, arrived.

It was found that a large hole had been blown through the marble steps in front of the cinema; the glass sheeting of the portico was smashed to atoms, the outer doors were blown down, and the plaster and woodwork of the entrance hall cracked and torn by the force of the explosion. The handsome cupola-shaped ceiling of the hall escaped any serious damage, and the interior of the cinema itself was intact.

Apart from a few broken windows, the fine restaurant, which occupies the basement of the cinema, suffered little damage, and it was open as usual after midday. Almost all the windows in the upper floors of the building were smashed, but, except for the entrance hall, there was no structural damage within the building.

On both sides of the street the kerbstone was strewn with broken glass. From the premises of Messrs. Elvery, at the corner of Middle Abbey street, to those of Messrs. Kapp and Peterson, at O'Connell Bridge, there was scarcely a business establishment that did not suffer to some extent by the violent concussion. In a couple of houses not a single pane of glass remained in the front of the upper storey. On the cinema side of the street the premises of the Broadway Soda Parlour Company and those of Messrs. Hamilton and Long, chemists, suffered most. The damage in each case, however, was confined to breakage of glass, and by four o'clock in the afternoon most of it had been repaired.

Few people were about when the explosion took place, and little or no information is available as to how many persons were concerned in the outrage.

A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE.

A gentleman who had been walking towards Upper Sackville street at about eight o'clock told an *Irish Times* representative that he was near the Pillar when the mine exploded. He was nearly thrown to the ground by the violence of it, and was somewhat dazed by the heavy crash of falling glass, which seemed to echo up and down the street for nearly thirty seconds afterwards. He did not observe any men or women running away as if attempting to escape.

Another account states that a motor car stopped at the cinema, and that a man and a woman alighted, carrying a parcel which they deposited outside the building. Immediately afterwards they returned to the car, which was started by a third man and driven rapidly away.

Two civilians who were passing through the street at the time of the explosion were injured by pieces of flying glass. Their names are William Milne, of Lower Dorset street, and J. Keegan, of Lower Kevin street. They were taken to Jervis street Hospital, where Keegan, who had received nasty cuts about the face, hands, and scalp, was detained.

The cinema will be open again on Monday next.

SERVICES TO MEDICINE.

PROFESSOR TWEEDY HONOURED BY ACADEMY.

Yesterday in the Hall of the Royal College of Physicians, Kildare street, Dublin, the Honorary Fellowship of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland was conferred on Professor E. Hastings Tweedy in recognition of the services he had rendered to the Academy and to the advancement of medical science. The centenary of the birth of Pasteur was also celebrated.

Sir Arthur Chance presided, and there were also present—Sir William de Courcy Wheeler, President of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland; Dr. M. F. Cox, President of the Royal College of Physicians, Ireland, and the Provost of Trinity College, Dublin. There was a brilliant scene as the procession, headed by mace-bearers, entered the Hall. The attendance included many ladies.

In opening the proceedings, Dr. T. A. C. Kirkpatrick, Secretary of the Acadmey, said that they were there for the double purpose of celebrating the memory of their greatest Honorary Fellow, Pasteur, and to confer the highest honour in the gift of the Academy on one who had earned it well. To Louis Pasteur the world owed an incalculable debt, for in founding the science of bacteriology he had placed the practice of preventative and curative inoculation on a sure basis. They honoured him in life, and now they treasured his memory, and daily they felt the benefit of his great work.

Throughout the world, he continued, Ernest Hastings Tweedy, whom he formally presented to them, had won, both for the Academy and for himself, an honoured name. As Pasteur taught them how to prevent and cure hydrophobia, so Tweedy had taught them how to control that almost equally terrible disease, eclampsia, which too often was wont to kill both the mother and her unborn child. In the long roll of Irish physicians no name ranked higher than that of Ernest Tweedy, and there was no one who had done more for the honour of that Academy than he had done.

The Chairman said that by his original and valuable investigation, his teaching and his public work, Professor Tweedy had advanced and maintained the reputation of the Dublin School of Medicine. For that they owed him a debt of gratitude, which they now tried to pay in part by conferring upon him the highest honour in their gift—the Honorary Fellowship of the Academy.

The words of the Secretary reflected, and happily expressed, the opinions of his professional brethren on the earnest unselfish work of Professor Tweedy. And so they gave him that Fellowship ungrudgingly from their hearts.

The Chairman then handed Professor Tweedy the scroll conferring the Honorary Fellowship of the Academy upon him.

Professor Tweedy, who was warmly applauded, said that he appreciated the honour conferred on him by the Academy, and if it could be enhanced, it was enhanced by being conferred upon him on the day the Academy celebrated the centenary of the birth of the great humanitarian scientist—Pasteur.

Dr. William Fearon then delivered an address on Pasteur, his discoveries and his work, and a vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer, on the motion of Dr. Cox, seconded by Sir William De Courcy Wheeler.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

At the weekly meeting of the Governors of the Royal Irish Academy of Music, held at Westland row, Dublin, Mr. James W. Drury, M.A., presided. The following were also present:—Major Arthur Whewell, Mr. G. Prescott, O.M.I.E.E.; Mr. B. Warburton Rooke, Mus.Bac., T.C.D.; Mr. Frank Wynne, Mr. A. R. Foot, B.A.; Mr. de Courcy Millar, and C. E. Grahame Harvey, Secretary. The Governors had under consideration the election of a Governor to represent the "Coulson" Endowment. On the recommendation of Captain T. M. Gerrard, M.B.E., and Dr. A. W. W. Baker, F.R.C.S.I. ("Coulson" Governors), Sir John Irwin, J.P., was unanimously elected in place of the late Mr. Frank Browning.

EX-SERVICE MEN.

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of the number was a greater success than that accomplished in the previous year in the work of the Bureau, which had now to its credit a grand total of 5,712 cases in which it had succeeded in getting ex-Service men into suitable employment.

The work of the Tuberculosis Committee continued to be carried on in conjunction with the work of the Employment Bureau. The number of cases dealt with during the year 1922 was—220 registered, 141 admitted to sanatoria. Three had died, and three had become sufficiently healthy after treatment to obtain employment.

During the year 135 men received 527 articles of clothing, including 49 pairs of boots.

A WONDERFUL RECORD.

Sir John Lumsden, who moved the adoption of the report, said that it covered an extremely anxious period, and was a wonderful record of work accomplished. He thought that it was Lord Haig who pointed out that in the history of the world's wars one generally found that about eighteen months after a war was over patriotic fervour had evanesced in the community very much for the soldiers who had fought for their country. There was no doubt that in the history of the world's wars a community often forgot to a very large extent its indebtedness to the soldiers who fought for, and saved, their country; but that Society did not forget. So far as the means at their disposal were concerned, they had tried to help, if only to a small extent, those men who fought so gallantly and served their country so well. If the material aid had not been great, the Society had supplied on the sentimental side the human touch which, he thought, meant a great deal to the men.

He thought that there was no country that had done so well for the wounded soldier as Britain. The present financial position was that their branch had about £1,000 in hand. Last year, owing to the kindness of Lord FitzAlan, £1,794 was allocated to the Central Advisory Committee, and the reason was that Lord FitzAlan was so impressed by the administrative expenses being so low, and by the fact that there were so many voluntary workers throughout the country, that he thought the Society was one deserving of assistance. However, they were anxious about the future. One thousand pounds would not go very far, and where the money was to come from in the future they did not know; but they sincerely hoped that it would be forthcoming, and that they would be able to get people to subscribe to the Society, which was doing remarkably fine work.

NEED FOR FUNDS.

Lord HolmPatrick, who seconded the motion, said that the credit of £1,000, which they had at the beginning of the year, was now down to about £600. Some people asked what did the Society want money for now. They did not realise that there were cases of men who, not having got pensions, were up against it, and those were men who had to be helped. Undoubtedly, the Society was doing an extraordinary amount of good work throughout the country, and the county branches collected their own money and seldom appealed to headquarters for help. So long as that spirit was going through the country, the main body would work as long as it could.

ELECTIONS.

On the motion of Colonel McDonnell, seconded by Colonel Bramston Newman, H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught was elected President. Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh was re-elected hon. general secretary, and the five retiring members of the Executive—Mr. J. A. Maconchy, Sir Stanley Cochrane, Rev. Canon Magill, Lt.-Col. Edgeworth Johnstone, and the Countess of Fingall—were also re-elected.

On the motion of Lord HolmPatrick, seconded by Lady Arnott, it was resolved: "That the warm thanks of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society be conveyed to Viscount FitzAlan of Derwent, and to Sir John Lumsden, for procuring very substantial financial assistance from a Government fund at their disposal, and thereby enabling the work of the Society to be continued in Ireland for the benefit of necessitous ex-service men who fought in the great war and previous campaigns."

Lady Arnott specially referred to the indebtedness of the Society to Sir John Lumsden for what he had done for them.

On the motion of the Countess of Fingall, seconded by Sir F. Shaw, it was resolved:—"That the cordial thanks of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society be tendered to Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, the Hon. General Secretary for Ireland, for her splendid efforts during 1922 to keep the work and organisation of the Society intact and working throughout the country; to Miss Mary Blount, the Hon. Secretary to the Executive Committee, for her daily attendance at the Dublin office, where her expert knowledge of the Ministry of Pensions' regulations is invaluable; to Mr. Alick Hamilton, whose patient, sympathetic work in the headquarters office has never failed for the last ten years; and to Miss Croker, Ireland's foremost 'Soldiers' Friend,' for all she does in the Men's Clothing Branch."

On the motion of Lady Arnott, seconded by Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, it was resolved:—"That the warm greetings of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society, and grateful appreciation for all that they have done, be sent to the Rev. W. H. Smith, to Miss Murray-Ker, to Miss McGonigal, to Lady Moore, Mr. W. Trench Kirkpatrick, Lady Nash, Colonel Eustace Jones, Mr. Brew-Mulhallen, Mr. J. A. Jordan, and the Hon. Secretaries, and Soldiers' Friends, for the strenuous work done under many difficulties for the needs of ex-Service men belonging to the Great War and to previous campaigns."

Mrs. Greer proposed that sympathisers with the objects of the Society should be asked to hold entertainments in various parts of Ireland—half concert and half plays, and Sir John Lumsden suggested that the proceeds should be divided between the Society and the Comforts Fund for the military hospitals of the Irish National Army.

This was agreed to.

The meeting then ended.

INCOME TAX ARREARS.

MOTOR TRADE AND COLLECTION SCHEME.

At a meeting of the Dublin Executive of the Irish Motor Agents' Association—Mr. R. W. Archer presiding—it was decided to send a resolution to Mr. Cosgrave protesting against the proposal to make employers liable for employés arrears of income tax, as "calculated to provoke endless friction between employers and their staffs."

The meeting also considered the difficulties arising from the collection of Customs duties at the Free State ports and boundary, and arranged for action, which would facilitate the members of the association, in the matter.

Attention was drawn to the delay on the part of the Government in announcing its roads policy, and the meeting ordered that the Government be again reminded of its promise, to include representatives of the motor trade on the Road Board, when the composition of the Board is being arranged.

Other members present were:—Messrs. S. J. Geary (J. Hutton and Sons), H. Stevenson, A. R. Wayte, P. J. Tracy, R. D. Cox (Leinster Motor Co.), J. Reddy (Express Auto. Co.), F. M. Summerfield (Harry Ferguson, Ltd.), J. T. O'Reilly (Automobile Garage), G. Williamson and Frank Norton (Ashenhurst, Williams and Co.), T. E. Eager and S. T. Robinson (hon. sec.).

THE HUNGER-STRIKERS.

Of the four women who still remain on hunger-strike in Kilmainham we are informed that Madame Gonne McBride and Miss Costello are in a critical condition.

Limerick County Council, at their half-yearly meeting, unanimously passed the following resolution:—

"That we, the Limerick County Council, in public meeting assembled, call upon the Government to release from custody Mrs. Michael O'Callaghan, T.D., Limerick, against whom no charge has been preferred; her imprisonment is not calculated to serve any useful purpose, and, in our opinion, her release would give satisfaction not only to this Council, but to the people of Limerick generally. That copy of this resolution be forwarded to the President, Irish Government, and to the Commander-in-Chief of the Free State Forces."

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.

Successes at latest Bank Examinations:—NATIONAL BANK: W. Whitaker, W. Dyer, J. Hanby, R. Neill, D. Wilson. PROVINCIAL BANK: A. Hodgins, G. McCowen, H. Robinson, HIBERNIAN BANK: R. Constantine, D. Dobbyn, F. Kyne, P. McDonnell, L. Richardson. All passed.—(Advt.)

AGRICULTURAL "REVOLUTION."

DISCOVERY OF A NEW FERTILISER.

SAVING OF MILLIONS.

A claim to the discovery of a new form of fertiliser which "will revolutionise agriculture" is made by Mr. E. H. Sams, soil and manure specialist, of Westminster.

Mr. Sams, who is a Fellow of the Royal Horticultural Society, declared that the discovery would solve the joint problems of the costly disposal of town refuse and the provision by a simple form of treatment of cheap supplies of organic nitrogen that would displace chemical supplies from Norway, nitrates from Chili, and ammonium sulphate from British gas and chemical works.

He proceeded to argue that the results to farmers and the nation would be cheaper costs of food production that would be a greater boon to agriculture than a bonus on wheat; an increased yield per acre and the bringing under cultivation of an extensive acreage of land at present too poor to work profitably; the saving of millions of pounds a year now spent by municipalities on refuse disposal and the ending of the scandal of the dumps around London and other large towns.

Mr. Sams said that he had received details of the discovery from a farmer, who had been experimenting for eight years with a combination of sewage sludge, dustbin refuse, and farm manure. This farmer, whose crops were the envy of his neighbours, had succeeded in realising a manure containing 15 per cent. of nitrogen by absorption from the atmosphere into the compost during treatment. In three months he had obtained 300 tons of organic nitrogen equal to Chilian nitrates.

Mr. Sams added that a meeting of farmers at Reading whom he addressed on the subject had decided to test his statement, and he was prepared to give a similar demonstration to any others who desired it.

DRILLING ASSOCIATION.

DUBLIN GIRLS' ANNUAL COMPETITIONS.

The annual competitions of the Dublin Girls' Drilling Association for the senior cups and medals were held on Thursday night in the Round Room of the Mansion House.

Lord Justice Molony, who presided, expressed the pleasure that it gave him to be present, and congratulated the girls and their teachers on the success of the organisation.

The judge in the various competitions was Mr. T. F. Gillespie, and the following was the programme, giving the names of the teams and institutions:—

Stand street Cup (Seniors)—Grangegorman "A," Miss E. K. Pemberton; St. Catherine's, Miss E. K. Pemberton; New Strand street, Miss O. Williams; Grangegorman "B," Miss E. K. Pemberton.

Competition for Novices—Leeson Park G.C., Miss C. M. Hall; Emerald Rechabites, Miss E. K. Pemberton; St. Mark's, Miss M. K. Pemberton; Presbyterian Association, Miss E. K. Pemberton; Strand street, Miss E. M. Wigham; New Strand street, Miss O. Williams.

The "Katherine Ross" competition.—Display by winners of the "Dorothy Ashe" Cup; also by winners of the skipping competition, and mass drill of senior teams. The membership is so large that the latter items have to be held on a separate evening.

The following are the winners:—

Strand Street Cup.—1st, Grangegorman "A"; 2nd, New Strand street.

"Dorothy Ashe" Cup (individual)—Miss Mildred Pemberton (Grangegorman), winner; Miss I. Hall (St. Catherine's), 2nd.

Novices competition.—1st, Presbyterian Association (Miss E. K. Pemberton, instructress); 2nd, Emerald Rechabites (same instructress).

"Katherine Ross" Cup—Nora Pemberton (Grangegorman).

NATIONAL HEALTH.

WORK OF WOMEN'S NATIONAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair presided at the annual meeting of the Women's National Health Association in Dublin yesterday, and in opening the proceedings, she said that she hoped the conference in the autumn would be attended by all societies working for the public health in different parts of Ireland, and by representatives of local authorities.

A number of reports from branches and local committees were read. Waterford Child Welfare Organisation reported that 960 mothers were attending the centre. Lady Inchiquin had encouraging news from County Clare, and the work was also going on satisfactorily in Cork.

Dr. Alice Barry said that the baby clubs in Dublin had materially helped to reduce the mortality among city children, which in 1915 was 163 per 1,000, in 1921 134, and in 1922 116. Some clubs distributed as much as 68 gallons of milk a day at cost price. The total distribution was 12,666 gallons at an average price of 5d. a quart. The attendance at the clubs totalled 30,822, and the number of mothers on the books was 5,618.

Miss Lena Long reported on the Samaritan and Invalid Children Committee, and Dr. Sheehan on the year's work at Peamount, where 506 patients had been treated.

The following resolution was passed, on the motion of Lady Everard, seconded by Mrs. Fegan Redmond:—

"That the Council of the Women's National Health Association approve of the principles and basis of the Children's Charter, and direct the Sub-Executive Committee to examine its provisions with a view of adapting them to the needs of children in Ireland, and to then draw the attention of the Free State Government to the Children's Charter, with the request that it be adopted as the Government's policy regarding the position and claims of children."

The Marchioness of Aberdeen was re-elected President of the Association, with Sir William J. Thompson, M.D., Treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Daly, Secretary. Dr. Prudence Gaffikin was elected Medical Secretary.

CHARGES AGAINST POSTAL OFFICIALS.

CONVERSION AND EMBEZZLEMENT.

David Gormley, sub-postmaster, Castlederg, Co. Tyrone, has been returned for trial to the Tyrone Assizes on a charge of fraudulently converting to his own use £250 8s. entrusted to his care on the 10th of April, 1920, by James Rankin, postman and ex-soldier, Castlederg, for the purchase of National Savings Certificates.

Cassie Gormley, sister of the sub-postmaster, who assisted him in the post office, was next indicted on charges of embezzling sums of £30, £10, and £1, handed to her for deposit in the Savings Bank book of Nellie Hughes, and also of embezzling £3 entrusted to her for deposit in the Savings Bank book of Maggie McHugh.

The accused was remanded in custody.

DISTINGUISHED CARDINAL.

Cardinal Michael Faulhaber, Munich, it is stated, will extend his personal thanks to the Catholics of the United States for their relief efforts on behalf of the German population in a series of addresses that he is to deliver in the principal cities of America. Cardinal Faulhaber has travelled in Palestine, England, France, Spain, Northern Africa, Italy, and Holland. He speaks English fluently.

A charity sermon, on behalf of St. Vincent's Girls' Orphanage, North William street, Dublin, will be preached to-morrow by the Very Rev. Frank Browne, S.J., at St. Saviour's Church, Dominick street, Dublin. Further appeals will be made in the Church of St. Peter, Phibsborough, and St. Agatha's Church, North William street.

Rev. Henry Fotty, S.J., will make the annual appeal on behalf of St. Joseph's Asylum, Portland Row, Dublin, in the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, on Sunday, May 6th. This deserving institution is under the care of the Poor Servants of the Mother of God.

LAW REPORTS.

MR. CROKER'S WILL.

DAUGHTER INTERVENES.

In the Probate Court yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Richard Croker v. Bula E. Croker, which is concerned with the will of the late Mr. Richard Croker, of Glencairn, Stillorgan,

Mr. Brown, K.C., with whom were Mr. Lardner, K.C., and Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor), for the plaintiff, a son of the deceased, said that there seemed to have been some misunderstanding as to the way the order would be made up fixing the trial for 10th May.

Mr. Justice Dodd said that it was a very careful order, prepared by himself, that the case be put in the list for trial at these sittings on a date not earlier than the 10th May.

Mr. Brown asked his lordship to alter the date of trial, because it was quite impossible to be ready for the 10th May.

Mr. Justice Dodd referred to the practice, and said that he was entitled to say that the judge at Nisi Prius was not to put the case in his list at an earlier date than the 10th May. Once it was in his list the judge at Nisi Prius could do what he liked with it. The judge at Nisi Prius could adjourn it. It was now taken from him (Mr. Justice Dodd); he had no authority whatever to touch it now.

Mr. Jellett, K.C., with whom was Mr. H. Hamilton (instructed by Messrs. Miley and Miley), subsequently applied on behalf of Mrs. Ethel C. White, of Cedarhurst, Long Island, New York, U.S.A., a daughter and one of the next-of-kin of the late Richard Croker, senior, deceased, for an order giving her liberty to intervene in the action and file such pleadings as she might be advised, notwithstanding that the time for filing such pleadings had expired; and that, if necessary, the trial of the action might be postponed until such date as the Court might decide. Mr. Valentine Miley, solicitor, in an affidavit, stated that he was solicitor for Mrs. White, and on the 19th of April, 1923, he entered an appearance in the action on her behalf. On Monday, 23rd April, he received a telegram from Mrs. White stating that she wished to plead in the action and to give evidence at the trial, and instructing him to take the necessary steps on her behalf. His lordship had made an order on the 20th of April fixing the trial of the action before a judge and city special jury on the 10th of May, and people living in America were not likely to be acquainted with orders made here from day to day. He asked for a postponement. Mr. Miley should be allowed some time to obtain sufficient instructions from his client to enable him to take advantage of the liberty to intervene.

Mr. Lynch, K.C., who, with Mr. T. Sullivan, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Henry B. O'Hanlon) appeared for the defendant, stated that on 11th May, 1922, and again on 20th May, 1922, Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor wrote letters, stating that they appeared for the three children of the deceased—namely, Mr. Richard Croker, jun.; Mr. Howard Croker, and Mrs. Ethel E. White; and now they had this application made on behalf of Mrs. White.

In reply to Mr. Justice Dodd, Mr. Lynch said that he did not object to Mrs. White intervening.

Mr. Justice Dodd, in giving his decision, said that, in the words of Baron Fitzgerald, this was too flagrant. The lady was entitled to intervene without cost and without trouble, and at the same time she was represented by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor. An interveniant had no status in that court except what the judge gave her. It was suggested that she was present by her counsel, but did not take part in the settling of the issues or the ordering of the time of the trial. If she had he would not have given her liberty as of course to take any step whatever in the action. He would have considered whether the issues which she wished to raise were sufficiently raised and sufficiently effected by the persons who had put those issues upon the file, and he would have given her leave to attend the trial at her own cost, and to take such steps in accordance with the trial as the judge at the trial would think necessary in the interests of justice.

There was no suggestion that the case was not in the hands of competent solicitors. He would allow the lady to appear at the trial and take such part in it as to the judge at the trial should appear to be in accordance with justice. He would not adjourn the trial. The substantial part of the motion had failed, and this lady must pay the defendant's costs of the motion.

BAIL FOR FEMALE PRISONERS.

In the King's Bench Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Saorstat Eireann, at the prosecution of Seamus Hannigan, Superintendent of Civic Guards, Tralee, v. Kate Kerrisk, Mrs. Nora O'Donnell, Ciss Nagle, Mrs. Julia Finn, Kathleen Prendergast, Ellen Finn, Ellen O'Brien, Mary Fitzgerald and Nora Nagle,

Mr. Bernard Roche (instructed by Mr. Daniel P. King), for the defendants, applied for an order admitting them to bail for their appearance to stand their trial at the next Court for the County of Kerry having competent jurisdiction to try them on a charge already brought against them. Counsel stated that the crime for which the defendants had been returned for trial was really that of trespassing upon the lands of a neighbouring farmer, William Evans, and driving his cattle off the lands.

After the reading of affidavits,

Mr. John O'Byrne, who (instructed by Mr. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor) appeared for Saorstat Eireann, said that they looked upon this as a very serious crime.

The Court decided that the defendants should be admitted to bail, each in £50 and two sureties of £25 each.

MONAGHAN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Bankruptcy Court yesterday, at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, before Mr. Justice Pim, Mr. Nat Isaacson, a bankrupt, came up for public examination. The debtor carried on business, and when he and his wife and other witnesses had been examined, the further examination of the bankrupt was adjourned till next Friday.

SALE OF MOTOR MASCOTS.

Before Mr. Justice Dodd, sitting yesterday without a jury, the action of Louis Jacobs, jeweller, now residing in Douglas, Isle of Man, v. the Hawkins Motor Co., Ltd., of 16 Hawkins street, Dublin, was heard. The plaintiff's claim was for £54, alleged to be due for goods sold and delivered—two magnetos, £15, and two dozen mascots at 32s. 6d. each—£39.

The defendants, in their defence, denied the delivery of the goods, and pleaded that the contract sued on (if any) was a contract for the sale of goods of the value of £10 and upwards, and the requirements of Section 4 of the Sale of Goods Act, 1893, in respect of such contracts were not complied with, and that the contract was, therefore, not enforceable by action. They counter-claimed for £34 14s. 9d., the price of petrol sold and delivered, for work done and materials provided by the defendants for the plaintiff at his request, and for work done in keeping and taking care of a motor car and providing warehouse room for it for the plaintiff.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Mr. Michael Noyk) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Joseph Healy (instructed by Mr. Henry Lemass) for the defendants.

Mr. Justice Dodd allowed the plaintiff £51 on his claim, allowed the defendants £36 19s. 10d. on their counter-claim, and gave judgment for the plaintiff for the difference between the two amounts, with such costs as that amount would carry.

"THE CASE OF MISS COSTELLO."

Mrs. Anna-Mary Costello, writing from 16 St. Joseph's street, Dublin, desires to contradict a statement made by Mr. Darrell Figgis during Wednesday's meeting of Dail Eireann, that the numbers of "Poblacht Na hEirinn" found in her house belonged, not to her daughter, but to her brother, Father Costello. Mrs. Costello states that the copies belonged to her; that she purchased them openly on the street, and that she assured the men who raided her house that she alone was responsible.

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Exam. announced for 4th July. Last exam. March, 1923. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin:—Messrs W. J. Fitzpatrick, E. J. Joynt, G. Joynt, W. H. Stronge, M. O'Connor, A. Gaughan, H. C. L. Shade and G. F. Seale. Best Result. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

NIGHT ATTACK ON HAULBOWLINE.

HEAVY FIRING FOR TWO HOURS.

STATE SOLICITOR'S CAR SEIZED.

The Haulbowline Dockyard, which is now in the possession of the Free State Government, was raked by machine-gun fire early yesterday morning.

The harbour was absolutely clear of any British naval craft, one of His Majesty's destroyers, which had its base in the port, having left for sea during the evening.

Just after midnight fire was opened on the island from two positons on the mainland—viz., Whitepoint, separated from the island by the main channel, which lies in a northern direction, and Ringaskiddy, about two hundred yards at the southern side.

The machine-gun fire drew a reply from the troops which garrison the island, and for over two hours firing continued with great rapidity.

A few minutes before two o'clock the Free State troops in Queenstown received a telephone message from the island as to the position of the attackers, but, although some lorries arrived at points indicated within a very short time, the firing had ceased, and the attackers disappeared. So far no casualties have been reported, but houses in the vicinity of the attackers' positions are considerably damaged.

COUNTY WATERFORD.

STATE SOLICITOR "HELD UP."

It was reported in Waterford last evening that Mr. E. A. Ryan, State Solicitor for Waterford City and County, was intercepted by eight armed men on Thursday evening, when driving in a motor car to Waterford to attend the District Court. He had reached a lonely part of the road, midway between Dungarvan and Waterford, when his car was stopped and entered by armed men, who compelled him to drive to Portlaw, several miles away. At Portlaw it is alleged that the armed men made an attack on the Civic Guards' barracks, Mr. Ryan being held as prisoner during the attack. He was subsequently released, and ordered to return to Dungarvan.

Particulars of the attack on the barracks are lacking.

CLEVER CHILD DANCERS.

MR. AND MRS. LEGGETT BYRNE'S PUPILS' MATINEE.

An announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Leggett Byrne of something "special" in the way of entertainment and demonstration arouses such interest, by reason of the long list of successful enterprises standing to the credit of these well-known and popular dancing experts, that, if the display is to be voted an outstanding success, it must attain a particularly high standard of merit.

Yesterday's matinée was an outstanding success. More than a hundred really beautifully dressed children took part, their ages ranging from a little over two years upwards.

"Under Sunny Skies" was a series of well-executed dances, *ensemble* and individual, by brightly-clad experts. There were coons, gipsies, Spaniards, Hawaians, an Egyptian, Indian, Breton, cowboy, and Redskin.

This was followed by a pantomimic "Spell of Pan," in which a jealous Pan behaves spitefully towards a Dryad and Shepherd, whose grieved minds were distracted by Forest Flowers, Moss and Ferns, while the Four Winds sought Pan and brought him before the Clerk of the Weather. Pan had to be intimidated by a brilliant Lightning, who terrified him into submission and ultimate repentance.

The *Ballet Divertissement* by senior pupils was an excellent display, which went with a smoothness which might well have been envied by a professional *corps*. This was followed by a playlet, "To-morrow," in which the boy who was to go to school on the morrow was visited by Experience, Joy of To-day, Toys, Fairie Tales, Success and All-Mother. He bid farewell to the companions of the nursery and looked forward to another meeting with Success. All-Mother, it was realised, was of all ages. The pretty scene was spoken and acted most convincingly. The story held a moral which appealed to all.

The *pièce de résistance* was "Over and Under the Sea." First the sea beach, children, grown-ups and boatmen; then the expedition to the Home of the Mermaid, where, in most effective and realistic scenery, a Sea Anemone, Corals, Nymphs, Shells, Sponges—tiny little sponges these—Seaweed, Moss, Pearls, all in appropriate splendour of attire, danced.

The whole performance was a veritable triumph of human endeavour and stagecraft, training and organisation. It was an *olla podrida* of youth and innocence and unaffected gaiety; a triumph, too, for Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Leggett Byrne and "Wanda." Their knowledge of the *technique* of the dance is complete, but they add to it a wonderful sympathy, and it is to this quality that they owe their success. The training which the pupils of all ages receive at their hands is not merely physical; it is an education. None of those on the stage yesterday realised that they were performing before a large audience in a theatre. There was a complete absence of self-consciousness. It was just play—pure, unsophisticated childhood.

The performance will be repeated in the Theatre Royal at half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

NEW ISSUE.

ANDHRA VALLEY POWER SUPPLY COMPANY'S NOTES.

Messrs. Linton, Clarke and Co. are offering to-day through Lloyds Bank and the National Bank of Scotland £1,000,000 7½ per cent. 10-year secured Sterling Notes of the Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Ltd., Bombay. The price is 98 per cent., and the notes are repayable at par on 1st April, 1933. The notes will be in denominations of £100, £500, and £1,000, and will be secured on £1,333,333 of 8 per cent. first mortgage debentures of the company, being two-thirds of the total issue of £2,000,000, which debentures are secured by first specific mortgages and a floating charge on the whole of the assets of the company, present and future. The company operates under licence from the Government in Bombay, and over certain neighbouring municipal areas. It was formed under the auspices of Tata Sons, Ltd., and will shortly be in a position to supply to Bombay and the surrounding district 50,000 h.p. The total capital cost of the undertaking is estimated at £3,400,000, provided by shares and debentures issued in India and temporary loans. The present note issue is for the purpose of funding these loans. The interest yield on the notes at issue price will be £7 13s. per cent., or, including redemption at par, £7 16s. per cent., and this interest should, on the present basis of power and supply, be covered over three times. Five applications for £340,000 of the notes have been received from underwriters. The purchasers bought the notes at £93 per cent., and they are paying an underwriting commission of £2 per cent. and an over-riding commission of ½ per cent. The notes are a fairly good speculative short-term industrial investment, returning, for these days, a high rate of interest. Applicants should use the form attached to the prospectus, and note that the application list will close on or before Tuesday next. (Prospectus page 10.)

FUNERAL OF MR. C. B. CORDNER.

The funeral of the late Charles Banks Cordner took place at Mount Jerome Cemetery yesterday. Mr. Cordner was for many years connected with the firm of Messrs. A. Millar and Co., Ltd., Thomas street, Dublin. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Canon F. C. Hayes (cousin) and the Rev. Parkinson Hill, Rector of Zion Church, Rathgar.

The chief mourners were:—A. Noel Cordner and Hubert V. Cordner (sons), A. D. Cordner, A. A. Cordner, and R. A. Hayes, M.D. (cousins).

BRIGHT'S PURE CONFECTIONERY MADE IN Dublin. Sugar Boilings in all varieties.—Walter Brights, Ltd., Townsend street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

COAL PRICES IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—With what impatience we all turned to-day to learn what evidence would be given before the Free State Commission on the subject of coal prices, hoping therein to find an answer to the great riddle. In the report under this title, with its sub-title, "Why Charges are so High," one reads what was said yesterday by Mr. Carroll. But there is no enlightenment, save that it appeared that all coal merchants of Dublin are utterly unable to fix prices. The pit-owners, however, fix their charge; the railways and the shipowners do likewise. But when coal arrives in Dublin, coal merchants, in order to know what they can add to the total, await the *fiat* of the Coal Controller. Who is he who thus fixes prices? Under what authority does he exercise his functions? Is it statutory, governmental, or by the nomination, express or implied, of coal merchants? Is it by English law or Privy Council order that he acts? Has the Free State Ministry for Home Affairs sanctioned or continued the office? When and by whom was he appointed, and for what length of time does he hold office? Was he chosen to protect the consumer against the exactions of the merchants, or, on the other hand, to protect retailers by compelling them to charge a uniform price and thus exclude all competition? Or is the Coal Controller a survival of Great War conditions, under which consumers were allowed a few hundredweights each? If so, why should the office survive till 1923, more than four years and five months after the Armistice?

If, on account of the Ruhr hold up, there is now a big Continental demand for English coal, and if prices are now responding and "normal conditions" have again arrived, why is there a Coal Controller to prevent—at any rate in Dublin—the ordinary results of supply and demand, and to compel the coal-sellers' prices to agree to a penny in their several grades of cross-Channel coals? If one Dublin merchant on a lucky freight saves a shilling a ton on eight hundred tons of Wigan, or, himself an owner of colliers, is able to save eighteen-pence or two shillings a ton, why must there be an official to prevent him from passing on to the consumer the benefit of the cheaper cost price—which, of course, he is most anxious to do to gain custom? Why compel him, willy-nilly, to charge as much as the most unfortunate or unenterprising of all coal merchants has to charge in order that the latter may get a living?

The public are very much interested in this matter—many of them as students of political economy and all of them as buyers of one of the necessaries of life. The Commission must deal with it in no casual way. The coal merchants are apparently in the hands of inexorable fate, unable to help the groaning public and, indeed, unable to help themselves, though they acquiesce patiently in what must be.

What of Dundalk, Waterford, Cork, Limerick and Sligo? Have they the same Coal Controller, or have they some other autocrat of coal prices? If Dublin must have one, surely they also must? But why any Coal Controller; and why not at once have true competitive trade, with the resulting benefit of the many throughout the Free State?—Yours, etc.,

"KING COLE."

Dublin, April 27th, 1923.

MONSIGNOR LUZIO'S POSITION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Let us be of good cheer. From Dunshaughlin Rural Council comes the news that after the election the Government will be "down and out." "The 'big men' on the Government benches knew they would never return again." Father Sweetman, O.S.B., of Gorey fame, thinks that the people express "a pious wish" that the Irish "Intelligence Department" "may be able to spare some little time for the detection of crime"—"nearer home." I had almost forgotten these two important words.

The details of what happened at the Mount Argus Confraternity meeting I have not to hand, but among the "big men" of Dunshaughlin, Mount St. Benedict's, Gorey, the Mount Argus Confraternity, and a score or so of bodies just as representative, I wish Monsignor Luzio joy. He need have no fear of any further "hostile reception" from "certain well-defined quarters." He ought surely to be convinced by Father Sweetman's logic—as "any unprejudiced person" should be long before this late hour—that the vast majority of the people of Ireland have welcomed the Pope's efforts towards peace.—Yours, etc.,

"DIPLOMAT."

Dublin, April 27th, 1923.

OWNERSHIP OF LAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—My brother and I own a farm in Queen's County in equal shares. It was leased in 1917 to a tenant for a period of twenty-one years at a rent of £200 a year. The tenant was driven off it in the spring of 1920 by a number of people from Maryborough, who have been on it ever since. The tenant's lease has lapsed and he has no intention of returning to it. The place has been offered to the people who took possession of it at a reasonable price, either for all cash or on easy terms. They have made no effort to obtain legal possession of the land, and now a firm of auctioneers in Dublin tell us that they could sell the farm for us at quite a good price, if it were possible for a client of theirs to inspect it and if we could give a purchaser possession.

The people who are on the land have not paid one penny rent since they took possession of it in 1920; and it is not at all likely that they have paid any rates either. We have been paying tithe rent charges and Public Board of Works charges on a hay-shed.—Yours, etc.,

"C. J. T."

April 27th, 1923.

ENNISKILLEN ROYAL SCHOOL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As Mr. Swift MacNeill is well known for his historical accuracy, as well as wonderful memory and extensive learning, I am surprised to find one so well informed describing Enniskillen School, now termed "Royal" School," by the name of the townland to which it was transferred from Enniskillen town. It was situated in Enniskillen town when Dean Swift paid a visit to Mr. Charles Grattan, its headmaster, but was, during the headmastership of the Rev. Mark Noble, transferred to the townland of Portoragh (abbreviated Portora), and his patent (still preserved) shows that he was appointed a "master" of the school "*apud*" Enniskillen.

The corruption began in the year 1857, but the school is no more that of Portora than the Bishop of Clogher is Bishop of Clones because he lives there. "Portora" is the name of the townland in which the great school of Enniskillen is situate.—Yours, etc.,

W. COPELAND TRIMBLE.

Century House, Enniskillen,
April 26th, 1923.

TREATMENT OF ANIMALS.

ENFORCEMENT OF PREVENTION OF CRUELTY ACTS.

Seconding the adoption of the report at the annual meeting of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in the Molesworth Hall, Dublin, yesterday, Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C., said that he was glad, as a member of the new Irish Kennel Club, to identify himself with the work and aims of the society.

All forms of sport in which animals were employed, he said, should be carried on under such conditions as would prevent any cruelty. All such sports should be on an organised footing and should be supporters of the society.

The report set out that during the year the Committee of the society was faced with the problem of a greater need for the society's activities, coupled with a diminished income. The unsettled state of the country, it was stated, had prevented the police from giving adequate attention to the enforcement of the Prevention of Cruelty Acts.

Mr. F. O. Lyons contradicted the rumour that the Dog's Home disposed of dogs for vivisection purposes. Persons to whom dogs were sold had to sign an undertaking not to use the animals for that purpose.

IRISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Council of the Irish Medical Association was held in Dublin yesterday, when Dr. W. O'Sullivan was nominated as President for the ensuing year, and Professor Frank Purser as Vice-President.

The following resolution was passed:—"That a deputation be appointed to wait on the Director General Medical Service regarding the remuneration for medical attendance by civilian practitioners."

Wednesday, 6th June, was fixed for the annual meeting. The draft report was approved.

KILLED IN AMBUSH.

ARRESTS AND CAPTURES.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

The National Army Headquarters last night issued the following official reports:—

"Nenagh troops, on the 26th inst., arrested Michael Kennedy, Michael and Denis Ryan, James Burke, John Madden, Patrick Cleary in the house of a man named Burke, of Curraguin. Troops from Buttevant discovered a dump, containing 2 Sam Browne belts, 163 rounds .303, a coil of fuse, D.B. shot-gun, and a quantity of gun powder.

"John White, 68 North Main street, Cork, was arrested in Cork City on the night of the 25th inst., in attempting to disarm two soldiers. A man named Vincent Stack, of Dublin street, was also arrested.

"In an ambush of a small party of troops outside Kiltimagh on the evening of the 25th inst., Lieutenant Peter McNicholas, Assistant Paymaster 52nd Infantry Battalion, was mortally wounded. Troops operating in the Louisburgh district captured a touring car used by Irregulars.

"Lieutenants Behan and Gaffney, accompanied by two Civic Guards, and travelling in a Ford car from Currow, encountered a barricade on the road to Castleisland. They dismounted, and, on approaching the barricade, were subjected to a heavy fusillade from machine guns and rifles. The officers were hopelessly outnumbered, and, armed only with revolvers, replied to the fire of the attackers. They fought a retreat for half a mile, pursued by a number of the Irregulars, who kept up a heavy fire, during which Lieutenant Behan was killed. Lieutenant Gaffney succeeded in evading capture, and reported back to Castleisland. The two Civic Guards were stripped of their uniforms and released. The two officers had gone to Currow at the request of the civil authorities to settle a land dispute; it was only on the return journey, having satisfactorily settled the dispute, that they were attacked.

"In the Cork Command an Irregular named David Cosgrave, of Shanaway, Ballineen, was arrested by troops on 24th inst. The Protestant schools at Ballyderlin and Goleen, near Schull, were burnt on the morning of the 22nd inst.

"J. Hickey, Ballyneale, and Davoren, Grangemockler, two members of an active Irregular column, were arrested unarmed. At Seskin, Waterford Command, troops arrested three Irregulars unarmed, but wearing Sam Browne belts, and in possession of documents."

The National Army Headquarters last night also issued the following reports:—

"Three irregulars—two with rifles and ammunition, and the other with a revolver and 10 rounds—surrendered to troops in the Cork Command on the 26th inst. In a dump at Clashmore 2 rifles, 150 rounds of .303 ammunition, one Peter the Painter pistol and 4 rounds of ammunition, one shot-gun, and two haversacks were found on the 26th inst.

"Ballincollig troops arrested on the 26th inst. Andrew Barrett, of Inniscarra, in connection with looting and robbery activities. Mallow troops captured an active irregular, Timothy Ring, of Ballyclough, unarmed. Bandon troops arrested John and Timothy Cahalane, of Newcestown, in whose house a fully equipped potheen still was discovered. James, Dan, and Michael Harrington, Charles Sullivan, Daniel Mahoney, T. Lynch, W. O'Regan, and P. Walsh were also arrested at Newcestown.

"About 30 shots were fired at an outpost in Bandon on the night of the 26th inst. There were no casualties.

"On the 27th inst., at about 5.15 p.m., two armed and masked men robbed the Post Office at Cabinteely. Troops proceeded to the place immediately, and while carrying out searching operations on the Kill road a young man was observed running. He was placed under arrest, and proved subsequently to be one of the raiders.

"The Civic Guard station at Dunshaughlin was burnt down by irregulars on Thursday night, 26th inst."

RATHMINES RATES.

REDUCTION OF 2D. IN THE £.

A special meeting of the Rathmines Urban Council was held yesterday to strike the rates for the year 1923-1924.

In proposing the adoption of the resolution making the rates, Mr. W. Ireland, Chairman, directed attention to the fact that the Council had a credit balance of £6,018 9s. 6d., owing to savings effected on the estimates for the past year. This credit balance was taken into account when the recommendations now before the Council were adopted.

The amount required for urban purposes during the year ending March 31, 1924, was estimated at £101,160 8s. 3d., and for poor rate £56,925 4s. 1d., showing a decrease in the estimates for urban purposes on last year's figures of £7,310 16s. 4d., and an increase of the poor rate—which included county charges, malicious injuries, police tax, and union charges—of £8,314 11s. 2d.

An amount equal to sixpence in the £ for purposes connected with malicious injuries had been included in the County Council demand. There was also a considerable increase in the county charges.

It was now proposed to make an urban rate of 9s. 4d., and a poor rate of 5s. 11d., making a total of 15s. 3d., and showing a reduction in the total rates of twopence in the £. The urban rate was reduced by 1s. in the £, but it had been found necessary to strike a poor rate of 5s. 11d. in the £. The Council in Rathmines had no control over this large expenditure, amounting to £56,925 4s. 1d., raised under the heading of "poor rate."

The resolution striking the rates was then adopted.

We publish in our advertisement columns particulars of the annual dance of the Dublin University Engineering Students' Society. The Society's dances are notably successful.

U.S. MARKETS

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Friday.

Stocks opened irregular. The sensational effect of the year's highest ratio for the Federal Reserve system and the large reduction in the banks' rediscounts, denoting an absence of credit strain, was off-set by the cuts in the prices of Oil products and the stiff call money rates. Oils yielded 1 to 2 points and Chemicals 1 to 4 points. Motors and their accessories were strong, but the general list was lower. The market closed irregular.

CLOSING.

Eng. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices Thurs.	Fri.	Business Done
110⅛	Funded	102⅞	102⅛	
11½	U.S. New 4% Loan	103	103	
9⅝	Atch. Top. Santa Fe	101½	101⅜	
9⅜	Do. Preference	9	9	
8⅛	Do. 4% Con Bonds	100	100	
55⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	51½	51½	
66⅜	Canadian Pacific	155	154	
74	Chesapeake Ohio Com	66	66	
21⅛	Chic., Mil., & St Paul	22	22	
87⅛	Chicago and N.-West	114	114	
123	Do Pref.			
19⅜	Erie 1st Preferred	18	18	
49⅛	Do 4% Gen Lien Bds	45	45	
79⅛	Great Northern Pref	73	73	
121	Illinois Central	113	113	
18	Lehigh Valley	64	63	
15⅞	Louisville & Nashville	141	141	
8⅛	Mis'ri, Kan., & Texas	8	8	
—	Do 2nd Mt. 4% Gd B.	Nom.		
16⅛	Missouri Pacific New	15	15	
8	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	7	7	
4	Do. 2nd Pref.	3	3	
100⅛	N.Y., Ctl., & Hudson R	93	93	
118	Norfolk & West Com.	110	110	
79	Northern Pacific Com.	74	74	
19⅛	Ontario and Western	18	18	
49⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	45	45	
82⅛	Reading Shares	76	76	
52⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	48	48	
91⅛	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	85	85	
36⅛	Southern Railway	32	32	
97⅛	Southern Pacific	90	90	
27	Texas and Pacific	25	25	
148⅛	Union Pacific	137	137	
77	Do Pref.	72	72	
96	Do 4% Bonds	90	90	
—	Wabash Common	9	9	
32	Do. Preferred A	30	30	
67	Amer. Smelt. Refin Com	62	62	
52	Anaconda Copper	48	48	
23	Brit.-Amer Tobacco	21	21	
73	N.Y. Cons. Gas	67	67	
191	General Electric	178	177	
11	U.S. Steel Common	105	105	
1.8	Do. 1st Preferred	119	119	
109	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	101	101	
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67	67	
—	Do. (U.S. Mined) Ref.	99	99	
9⅛	Inter. M.M. Com Certs	9	9	
36	Do. Pref'd Certs.	34	34	
53	Royal Dutch Oil	49	49	
41	Shell Transport	37	38	
302	Mexican Petroleum	280	280	
77	Pan-American Pet.	72	72	
18	General Motors	16	17	
65	U.S. Rubber	60	60	

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Thursday.	Friday.
Call Money	4½ 5¼	5 5¼
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.61.00	4.61.25
Ex. on Ln Demand Bills	4.63.00	4.63.25
Cable Transfers	4.63.25	4.63.50
Ex. on Paris	6.79	6.78½
Berlin Cheques	0.34¼	.33¼
Cotton, Mid., Upland	28.85	29.05
Do., New Orleans, Mid	28.60	28.75
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	11.50	11.55
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., July	11.60	11.59
Petro., Refined, in cases	16.50	16.50
Do., Standard White	13.50	13.50
Do., Philad. Stan. do.	13.50	13.50
Do., Pennsyl. Crude	4.00	4.00
Spirits of Turpentine	140	1.8
Do., Savannah	holiday	Nominal
Resin, Grade B	5.7	5.0
Do., Grade F	5.97½	6.00
Lard, Prime West. Stm	12.15	12.12½
Do., Midland West	11.70—11.80	11.7—11.8
Tallow Extra	8⅝	8⅝
Sugar, New Cuban	8.54	8.41
Corn, West No. 2 Mix	97½	96⅝
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	143	142⅜
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	Nominal	Nominal
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	1.8	137½
Coffee, Rio No. 7	11⅞	11⅞
Flour, Spring Clears	5.40—5.75	5.50—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	30.00—31.00	30.00—31.00
Tin, Straits	44.12½	44.7
Zinc, East St. Louis	7.00	6.95
Electrolytic Cop. Spot.	1.—17.00	16⅞—16
Do. do. Futures, July	16⅞—17.00	16⅞—1
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom per bushel	1.6—1/8	1/6—1/7
Freight Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	11—14	11—14
Freight, Cott. to L'pool (high density)	25	25
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	35	35

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Friday.

WHEAT opened easy, ¼c. to ⅜c. lower, and weakened further, and the market closed [illegible] to 1¼c. decline. Spot easy. No. 2 hard winter nominal. May, 121¼; July, 125¼; September, 120¼.

CORN opened easy at ¼c. to ⅜c. fall in sympathy with wheat, and the market closed easy, 1¼c. to 1⅜c. down. Spot No. 2 mixed, 85½. May, 80⅞; July, 81⅛; September, 81⅛.

OATS easy at ⅛c. to ⅜c. fall. May, 45⅞; July, 45⅝; September, 44⅞.

PROVISIONS opened steady, and improved, then declined. The market closed barely steady, with lard 2½ points up, and ribs 5 to 2½ points down. Pork unquoted. Lard—May, 11.17½; July, 11.45; September, 11.70. Ribs—May, 9.85; July, 9.90; September, 10.17½.

BACON steady and unchanged. Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st, total 6,505,000, against 4,208,000 same season last year.

HOGS steady, with light unchanged to 15 points and heavy 5 to 10 points up.

	Short Rib Sides.	Dry-salted Loose.	Light.		Heavy.	
To-day	9.12½	10.00	7.75	8.15	7.45	7.95
Prev. day	9.12½	10.00	7.75	8.00	7.40	7.85

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

In our auction columns to-day Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce that on Thursday next they will sell the substantially built premises known as Dame street Picture House; 151 [illegible] road, Rathmines; 69 Hollybank road, Drumcondra; 110 North Circular road; Innismore House, [illegible], and 16 Trafalgar terrace, Monkstown. In each case clear possession will be given to purchaser. Full particulars are set out in our auction columns.

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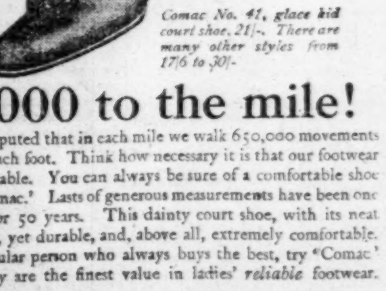

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organisation as the coming together again and the rallying of the forces that had worked so hard during those past years.

Having elaborated the manner of the development of the national movement inspired by Arthur Griffith, General Mulcahy went on to say that the Irishmen of to-day can affect the Ireland of to-morrow only by the cultivation in themselves of the seeds of order and of discipline. (Applause.) With discipline and ordered thought and national feeling there was no difficulty the nation could not overcome.

Expressing appreciation of the young men of the Army, he said that they had saved the country from a terrible scourge, and had done it without losing their nerve or their temper, or piling up in their hearts any bitterness towards anyone. At the same time they had accomplished a constructive work, appreciated and understood only by those moving about among them very closely.

The country now had to be put under a microscope if it wanted the development of satisfactory social and human conditions. They had to organise themselves to provide comfortable homes and means of livelihood for their people.

He threw out what he described as a few ideas on the problem of unemployment. There must be, if possible, a mathematical way of getting rid of the problem, even though the country had suffered from mathematics from time to time. (Loud applause.) There were public works, like roads, and drainage, and the provision of houses, and others—works of necessity, and at the same time of public economy. It might be possible to have those grouped in zones, according to their necessity, and according as unemployment developed in any of those zones, put them in operation, on plans more or less estimated for.

MR. BLYTHE.

Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister for Local Government, said that there was great need for an organisation such as that. They had not yet reached the stage when an organisation with a definite national plank was not needed. He hoped and believed that before many years it would not be necessary, when the various sections and economic interests could put up their own organisations, and the national interests would be safe, and when it did not matter what section of the nation or what political party came into power. They had advanced along the road, but had not reached that stage yet.

They realised, like Pearse, that it was not enough to have Ireland free; it should be Gaelic as well. He believed that if they lost the national language and failed to revive it, all that had been achieved and all that had been sacrificed in the past were in vain. (Applause.)

They were facing problems which required wisdom and strength and faith, and they should all wake up to the responsibilities of freedom. They should do everything necessary to make that State a State that they might be proud of. He was dealing with various local bodies. Some of them did their work faithfully and well, but there were others who passed foolish resolutions, blaming the Government for doing its duty. (Applause.)

The people who were doing that, and who sought to be popular by passing such resolutions, although they did not believe in them, were not acting up to their responsibilities. Because a thing was unpopular or displeased some people, it was not wrong for the Government to do it. Very often it was right and necessary for the Government to do it. (Applause.) But it was wrong for any body of people who did not understand the circumstances to condemn certain things necessary to save the State, because it pleased some of their neighbours. (Applause.)

If the Government did unpopular things they were necessary in the interests of the State. They were the servants of the people, and if they did their duty they ought not to be reviled, and they ought not to be let down. If they had done right, the people should stand over the unpopular things they had done, as well as over the popular ones. (Applause.)

FINANCE.

Among the problems before them were the financial relations with Great Britain. That should be dealt with wisely, carefully, and firmly. It would be well that there should be a party in the legislature that would support the Government, which would deal with it in that way, having regard to the whole interests of the nation.

Then they had the problem of partition. He was confident that if he lived the normal time that he might expect to live, he would see a completely united Ireland. (Loud applause.) But that, again, was a matter that would need to be dealt with wisely, circumspectly, and broadly, having regard to the interests of the whole nation, and not the interests of a particular class or a certain section.

These were reasons why they required a national party. They required in the people a national public spirit; a spirit of service to the nation. If all the people had the spirit of the past, there was no doubt that the promises and bright hopes that they entered upon a few years ago would be fully realised, and that in the end there would be no disillusionment at all. (Applause.)

PARTITION.

The Chairman, in concluding the meeting, said that he knew, and everyone in the Government knew, that there was a feeling of anxiety on the part of their friends in the North-East with regard to the fulfilment of the terms of the Treaty. That particular aspect of the national future was never for a day absent from the minds of the Government of Saorstat Eireann. The foundation of their hopes for the future were to be found in the principle of the continuation of an historic Ireland. If Ireland was not going to be a distinctive nation she should not be two separate nations. (Cheers.)

PRIVATE SESSION.

WHAT WAS DONE.

The following report was issued of the proceedings at the private session:—

Representatives were present from every county at the Convention, and careful consideration was given to the objects, programme, and constitution.

The objects and programme were adopted as attached. The final form of the constitution was left to the General Council. Professor Eoin MacNeill was unanimously elected President. The General Council, at present acting, was re-elected to carry on until the next Convention, with a proviso that they would consider nominations and co-opt, so as to give representations from each province.

General arrangements were made to have Cumainn established throughout the country.

It was decided to hold the next Convention not later than the end of September; the General Council to fix the date.

OBJECTS AND PROGRAMME.

To carry on the National tradition; and

To utilise the powers of Government in the hands of the Irish people, as well as other forms of public activity for the fullest development of the nation's heritage—political, cultural, and economic.

1. To secure the unity of Ireland and to combine the divergent elements of the nation in a common bond of citizenship, in harmony with national security.
2. To preserve and foster the national language, literature, games, and arts, and every element of national culture and custom which tends to give Ireland distinction as a nation.
3. To promote the development of agriculture, fisheries, and other natural resources.
4. To stimulate and safeguard the development of suitable manufacturing industries by all means at our disposal.
5. To make the whole soil of Ireland available for the use of the people by completing land purchase and by utilising the depopulated grass lands in accordance with a broad national plan.
6. To obtain the provision of adequate financial assistance for a national scheme of housing, urban and rural.
7. To substitute, as far as possible, for the unemployment dole, national schemes of useful work, including arterial drainage, reafforestation, improvement of roads and waterways.
8. To encourage the proper physical development of the children of Ireland.
9. To secure the fullest opportunities of educational advancement for every section of the community.

NAMES OF GENERAL COUNCIL.—Messrs. F. J. Allan, Monkstown; T. Montgomery, Ballsbridge; J. Montgomery, Booterstown; M. Conlan, North Circular road; B. O'Connor, Donnybrook; D. Fawsitt, Cork; S. Milroy, T.D.; D. MacCarthy, T.D.; S. Hughes, Drumcondra; Mrs. Blythe, Dublin; Mrs. O'Shea Leamy, Summerhill; Senator Mrs. Wyse Power, Henry street; Senator G. Nesbitt, Dublin; J. Silke, Castlerea; F. Dorr, Foxford; Dr. Dillon, Galway; Alderman Monahan, Drogheda; Alderman de Loughrey, Kilkenny; Rev. P. Doyle, Naas; M. Mehigan, Cork; Senator P. W. Kenny, Waterford; Senator O'Rourke, Inniskeen; G. Murnaghan, and Dr. McNabb, Belfast.

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MINE EXPLOSION.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK A DUBLIN CINEMA.

TWO PERSONS INJURED

An unsuccessful attempt was made to wreck the Grand Central Cinema, in Sackville street, Dublin, yesterday morning, when shortly before eight o'clock a powerful land mine was exploded on the steps leading to the entrance hall.

The report was heard throughout the city, and within ten minutes military and members of the Criminal Investigation Department, Oriel House, arrived.

It was found that a large hole had been blown through the marble steps in front of the cinema; the glass sheeting of the portico was smashed to atoms, the outer doors were blown down, and the plaster and woodwork of the entrance hall cracked and torn by the force of the explosion. The handsome cupola-shaped ceiling of the hall escaped any serious damage, and the interior of the cinema itself was intact.

Apart from a few broken windows, the fine restaurant, which occupies the basement of the cinema, suffered little damage, and it was open as usual after midday. Almost all the windows in the upper floors of the building were smashed, but, except for the entrance hall, there was no structural damage within the building.

On both sides of the street the kerbstone was strewn with broken glass. From the premises of Messrs. Elvery, at the corner of Middle Abbey street, to those of Messrs. Kapp and Peterson, at O'Connell Bridge, there was scarcely a business establishment that did not suffer to some extent by the violent concussion. In a couple of houses not a single pane of glass remained in the front of the upper storey. On the cinema side of the street the premises of the Broadway Soda Parlour Company and those of Messrs. Hamilton and Long, chemists, suffered most. The damage in each case, however, was confined to breakage of glass, and by four o'clock in the afternoon most of it had been repaired.

Few people were about when the explosion took place, and little or no information is available as to how many persons were concerned in the outrage.

A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE.

A gentleman who had been walking towards Upper Sackville street at about eight o'clock told an *Irish Times* representative that he was near the Pillar when the mine exploded. He was nearly thrown to the ground by the violence of it, and was somewhat dazed by the heavy crash of falling glass, which seemed to echo up and down the street for nearly thirty seconds afterwards. He did not observe any men or women running away as if attempting to escape.

Another account states that a motor car stopped at the cinema, and that a man and a woman alighted, carrying a parcel which they deposited outside the building. Immediately afterwards they returned to the car, which was started by a third man and driven rapidly away.

Two civilians who were passing through the street at the time of the explosion were injured by pieces of flying glass. Their names are William Milne, of Lower Dorset street, and J. Keegan, of Lower Kevin street. They were taken to Jervis street Hospital, where Keegan, who had received nasty cuts about the face, hands, and scalp, was detained.

The cinema will be open again on Monday next.

SERVICES TO MEDICINE.

PROFESSOR TWEEDY HONOURED BY ACADEMY.

Yesterday in the Hall of the Royal College of Physicians, Kildare street, Dublin, the Honorary Fellowship of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland was conferred on Professor E. Hastings Tweedy in recognition of the services he had rendered to the Academy and to the advancement of medical science. The centenary of the birth of Pasteur was also celebrated.

Sir Arthur Chance presided, and there were also present—Sir William de Courcy Wheeler, President of the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland; Dr. M. F. Cox, President of the Royal College of Physicians, Ireland, and the Provost of Trinity College, Dublin. There was a brilliant scene as the procession, headed by mace-bearers, entered the Hall. The attendance included many ladies.

In opening the proceedings, Dr. T. A. C. Kirkpatrick, Secretary of the Academy, said that they were there for the double purpose of celebrating the memory of their greatest Honorary Fellow, Pasteur, and to confer the highest honour in the gift of the Academy on one who had earned it well. To Louis Pasteur the world owed an incalculable debt, for in founding the science of bacteriology he had placed the practice of preventative and curative inoculation on a sure basis. They honoured him in life, and now they treasured his memory, and daily they felt the benefit of his great work.

Throughout the world, he continued, Ernest Hastings Tweedy, whom he formally presented to them, had won, both for the Academy and for himself, an honoured name. As Pasteur taught them how to prevent and cure hydrophobia, so Tweedy had tought them how to control that almost equally terrible disease, eclampsia, which too often was wont to kill both the mother and her unborn child. In the long roll of Irish physicians no name ranked higher than that of Ernest Tweedy, and there was no one who had done more for the honour of that Academy than he had done.

The Chairman said that by his original and valuable investigation, his teaching and his public work, Professor Tweedy had advanced and maintained the reputation of the Dublin School of Medicine. For that they owed him a debt of gratitude, which they now tried to pay in part by conferring upon him the highest honour in their gift—the Honorary Fellowship of the Academy.

The words of the Secretary reflected, and happily expressed, the opinions of his professional brethren on the earnest unselfish work of Professor Tweedy. And so they gave him that Fellowship ungrudgingly from their hearts.

The Chairman then handed Professor Tweedy the scroll conferring the Honorary Fellowship of the Academy upon him.

Professor Tweedy, who was warmly applauded, said that he appreciated the honour conferred on him by the Academy, and if it could be enhanced, it was enhanced by being conferred upon him on the day the Academy celebrated the centenary of the birth of the great humanitarian scientist—Pasteur.

Dr. William Fearon then delivered an address on Pasteur, his discoveries and his work, and a vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer, on the motion of Dr. Cox, seconded by Sir William De Courcy Wheeler.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

At the weekly meeting of the Governors of the Royal Irish Academy of Music, held at Westland row, Dublin, Mr. James W. Drury, M.A., presided. The following were also present:—Major Arthur Whewell, Mr. G. Prescott, O.M.I.E.E.; Mr. B. Warburton Rooke, Mus.Bac., T.C.D.; Mr. Frank Wynne, Mr. A. R. Foot, B.A.; Mr. de Courcy Millar, and C. E. Grahame Harvey, Secretary. The Governors had under consideration the election of a Governor to represent the "Coulson" Endowment. On the recommendation of Captain T. M. Gerrard, M.B.E., and Dr. A. W. W. Baker, F.R.C.S.I. ("Coulson" Governors), Sir John Irwin, J.P., was unanimously elected in place of the late Mr. Frank Browning.

EX-SERVICE MEN.

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of the number was a greater success than that accomplished in the previous year in the work of the bureau, which had now to its credit a grand total of 5,712 cases in which it had succeeded in getting ex-Service men into suitable employment.

The work of the Tuberculosis Committee continued to be carried on in conjunction with the work of the Employment Bureau. The number of cases dealt with during the year 1922 was—220 registered, 141 admitted to sanatoria. Three had died, and three had become sufficiently healthy after treatment to obtain employment.

During the year 135 men received 527 articles of clothing, including 49 pairs of boots.

A WONDERFUL RECORD.

Sir John Lumsden, who moved the adoption of the report, said that it covered an extremely anxious period, and was a wonderful record of work accomplished. He thought that it was Lord Haig who pointed out that in the history of the world's wars one generally found that about eighteen months after a war was over patriotic fervour had evanesced in the community very much for the soldiers who had fought for their country. There was no doubt that in the history of the world's wars a community often forgot to a very large extent its indebtedness to the soldiers who fought for, and saved, their country; but that Society did not forget. So far as the means at their disposal were concerned, they had tried to help, if only to a small extent, those men who fought so gallantly and served their country so well. If the material aid had not been great, the Society had supplied on the sentimental side the human touch which, he thought, meant a great deal to the men.

He thought that there was no country that had done so well for the wounded soldier as Britain. The present financial position was that their branch had about £1,000 in hand. Last year, owing to the kindness of Lord FitzAlan, £1,794 was allocated to the Central Advisory Committee, and the reason was that Lord FitzAlan was so impressed by the administrative expenses being so low, and by the fact that there were so many voluntary workers throughout the country, that he thought the Society was one deserving of assistance. However, they were anxious about the future. One thousand pounds would not go very far, and where the money was to come from in the future they did not know; but they sincerely hoped that it would be forthcoming, and that they would be able to get people to subscribe to the Society, which was doing remarkably fine work.

NEED FOR FUNDS.

Lord HolmPatrick, who seconded the motion, said that the credit of £1,000, which they had at the beginning of the year, was now down to about £600. Some people asked what did the Society want money for now. They did not realise that there were cases of men who, not having got pensions, were up against it, and those were men who had to be helped. Undoubtedly, the Society was doing an extraordinary amount of good work throughout the country, and the county branches collected their own money and seldom appealed to headquarters for help. So long as that spirit was going through the country, the main body would work as long as it could.

ELECTIONS.

On the motion of Colonel McDonnell, seconded by Colonel Bramston Newman, H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught was elected President. Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh was re-elected hon. general secretary, and the five retiring members of the Executive—Mr. J. A. Maconchy, Sir Stanley Cochrane, Rev. Canon Magill, Lt.-Col. Edgeworth Johnstone, and the Countess of Fingall—were also re-elected.

On the motion of Lord HolmPatrick, seconded by Lady Arnott, it was resolved:—"That the warm thanks of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society be conveyed to Viscount FitzAlan of Derwent, and to Sir John Lumsden, for procuring very substantial financial assistance from a Government fund at their disposal, and thereby enabling the work of the Society to be continued in Ireland for the benefit of necessitous ex-service men who fought in the great war and previous campaigns."

Lady Arnott specially referred to the indebtedness of the Society to Sir John Lumsden for what he had done for them.

On the motion of the Countess of Fingall, seconded by Sir F. Shaw, it was resolved:—"That the cordial thanks of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society be tendered to Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, the Hon. General Secretary for Ireland, for her splendid efforts during 1922 to keep the work and organisation of the Society intact and working throughout the country; to Miss Mary Blount, the Hon. Secretary to the Executive Committee, for her daily attendance at the Dublin office, where her expert knowledge of the Ministry of Pensions' regulations is invaluable; to Mr. Alick Hamilton, whose patient, sympathetic work in the headquarters office has never failed for the last ten years; and to Miss Croker, Ireland's foremost 'Soldiers' Friend,' for all she does in the Men's Clothing Branch."

On the motion of Lady Arnott, seconded by Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, it was resolved:—"That the warm greetings of the Council and Executive Committee of the Irish Branch of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society, and grateful appreciation for all that they have done, be sent to the Rev. W. H. Smith, to Miss Murray-Ker, to Miss McGonigal, to Lady Moore, Mr. W. Trench Kirkpatrick, Lady Nash, Colonel Eustace Jones, Mr. Brew-Mulhallen, Mr. J. A. Jordan, and the Hon. Secretaries, and Soldiers' Friends, for the strenuous work done under many difficulties for the needs of ex-Service men belonging to the Great War and to previous campaigns."

Mrs. Greer proposed that sympathisers with the objects of the Society should be asked to hold entertainments in various parts of Ireland—half concert and half plays, and Sir John Lumsden suggested that the proceeds should be divided between the Society and the Comforts Fund for the military hospitals of the Irish National Army.

This was agreed to.

The meeting then ended.

INCOME TAX ARREARS.

MOTOR TRADE AND COLLECTION SCHEME.

At a meeting of the Dublin Executive of the Irish Motor Agents' Association—Mr. R. W. Archer presiding—it was decided to send a resolution to Mr. Cosgrave protesting against the proposal to make employers liable for employés arrears of income tax, as "calculated to provoke endless friction between employers and their staffs."

The meeting also considered the difficulties arising from the collection of Customs duties at the Free State ports and boundary, and arranged for action, which would facilitate the members of the association, in the matter.

Attention was drawn to the delay on the part of the Government in announcing its roads policy, and the meeting ordered that the Government be again reminded of its promise, to include representatives of the motor trade on the Road Board, when the composition of the Board is being arranged.

Other members present were:—Messrs. S. J. Geary (J. Hutton and Sons), H. Stevenson, A. R. Wayte, P. J. Tracy, R. D. Cox (Leinster Motor Co.), J. Reddy (Express Auto. Co.), F. M. Summerfield (Harry Ferguson, Ltd.), J. T. O'Reilly (Automobile Garage), G. Williamson and Frank Norton (Ashenhurst, Williams and Co.), T. E. Eager and S. T. Robinson (hon. sec.).

THE HUNGER-STRIKERS.

Of the four women who still remain on hunger-strike in Kilmainham we are informed that Madame Gonne McBride and Miss Costello are in a critical condition.

Limerick County Council, at their half-yearly meeting, unanimously passed the following resolution:—

"That we, the Limerick County Council, in public meeting assembled, call upon the Government to release from custody Mrs. Michael O'Callaghan, T.D., Limerick, against whom no charge has been preferred; her imprisonment is not calculated to serve any useful purpose, and, in our opinion, her release would give satisfaction not only to this Council, but to the people of Limerick generally. That copy of this resolution be forwarded to the President, Irish Government, and to the Commander-in-Chief of the Free State Forces."

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.
Successes at latest Bank Examinations:—NATIONAL BANK: W. Whitaker, W. Dyer, J. Hanby, R. Neill, D. Wilson. PROVINCIAL BANK: A. Hodgins, G. McCowen, H. Robinson, HIBERNIAN BANK: R. Constantine, D. Dobbyn, F. Kyne, P. McDonnell, L. Richardson. All passed.—(Advt.)

AGRICULTURAL "REVOLUTION."

DISCOVERY OF A NEW FERTILISER.

SAVING OF MILLIONS.

A claim to the discovery of a new form of fertiliser which "will revolutionise agriculture" is made by Mr. E. H. Sams, soil and manure specialist, of Westminster.

Mr. Sams, who is a Fellow of the Royal Horticultural Society, declared that the discovery would solve the joint problems of the costly disposal of town refuse and the provision by a simple form of treatment of cheap supplies of organic nitrogen that would displace chemical supplies from Norway, nitrates from Chili, and ammonium sulphate from British gas and chemical works.

He proceeded to argue that the results to farmers and the nation would be cheaper costs of food production that would be a greater boon to agriculture than a bonus on wheat; an increased yield per acre and the bringing under cultivation of an extensive acreage of land at present too poor to work profitably; the saving of millions of pounds a year now spent by municipalities on refuse disposal and the ending of the scandal of the dumps around London and other large towns.

Mr. Sams said that he had received details of the discovery from a farmer, who had been experimenting for eight years with a combination of sewage sludge, dustbin refuse, and farm manure. This farmer, whose crops were the envy of his neighbours, had succeeded in realising a manure containing 15 per cent. of nitrogen by absorption from the atmosphere into the compost during treatment. In three months he had obtained 300 tons of organic nitrogen equal to Chilian nitrates.

Mr. Sams added that a meeting of farmers at Reading whom he addressed on the subject had decided to test his statement, and he was prepared to give a similar demonstration to any others who desired it.

DRILLING ASSOCIATION.

DUBLIN GIRLS' ANNUAL COMPETITIONS.

The annual competitions of the Dublin Girls' Drilling Association for the senior cups and medals were held on Thursday night in the Round Room of the Mansion House.

Lord Justice Molony, who presided, expressed the pleasure that it gave him to be present, and congratulated the girls and their teachers on the success of the organisation.

The judge in the various competitions was Mr. T. F. Gillespie, and the following was the programme, giving the names of the teams and institutions:—

Stand street Cup (Seniors)—Grangegorman "A," Miss E. K. Pemberton; St. Catherine's, Miss E. K. Pemberton; New Strand street, Miss O. Williams; Grangegorman "B," Miss E. K. Pemberton.

Competition for Novices—Leeson Park G.C., Miss C. M. Hall; Emerald Rechabites, Miss E. K. Pemberton; St. Mark's, Miss M. K. Pemberton; Presbyterian Association, Miss E. K. Pemberton; Strand street, Miss E. M. Wigham; New Strand street, Miss O. Williams.

The "Katherine Ross" competition.—Display by winners of the "Dorothy Ashe" Cup; also by winners of the skipping competition, and mass drill of senior teams. The membership is so large that the latter items have to be held on a separate evening.

The following are the winners:—

Strand Street Cup.—1st, Grangegorman "A"; 2nd, New Strand street.

"Dorothy Ashe" Cup (individual)—Miss Mildred Pemberton (Grangegorman), winner; Miss I. Hall (St. Catherine's), 2nd.

Novices competition.—1st, Presbyterian Association (Miss E. K. Pemberton, instructress); 2nd, Emerald Rechabites (same instructress).

"Katherine Ross" Cup.—Nora Pemberton (Grangegorman).

NATIONAL HEALTH.

WORK OF WOMEN'S NATIONAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

The Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair presided at the annual meeting of the Women's National Health Association in Dublin yesterday, and in opening the proceedings, she said that she hoped the conference in the autumn would be attended by all societies working for the public health in different parts of Ireland, and by representatives of local authorities.

A number of reports from branches and local committees were read. Waterford Child Welfare Organisation reported that 960 mothers were attending the centre. Lady Inchiquin had encouraging news from County Clare, and the work was also going on satisfactorily in Cork.

Dr. Alice Barry said that the baby clubs in Dublin had materially helped to reduce the mortality among city children, which in 1915 was 163 per 1,000, in 1921 134, and in 1922 116. Some clubs distributed as much as 68 gallons of milk a day at cost price. The total distribution was 12,666 gallons at an average price of 5d. a quart. The attendance at the clubs totalled 30,822, and the number of mothers on the books was 5,618.

Miss Lena Long reported on the Samaritan and Invalid Children Committee, and Dr. Sheehan on the year's work at Peamount, where 506 patients had been treated.

The following resolution was passed, on the motion of Lady Everard, seconded by Mrs. Fegan Redmond:—

"That the Council of the Women's National Health Association approve of the principles and basis of the Children's Charter, and direct the Sub-Executive Committee to examine its provisions with a view of adapting them to the needs of children in Ireland, and to then draw the attention of the Free State Government to the Children's Charter, with the request that it be adopted as the Government's policy regarding the position and claims of children."

The Marchioness of Aberdeen was re-elected President of the Association, with Sir William J. Thompson, M.D., Treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Daly, Secretary. Dr. Prudence Gaffikin was elected Medical Secretary.

CHARGES AGAINST POSTAL OFFICIALS.

CONVERSION AND EMBEZZLEMENT.

David Gormley, sub-postmaster, Castlederg, Co. Tyrone, has been returned for trial to the Tyrone Assizes on a charge of fraudulently converting to his own use £250 8s. entrusted to his care on the 10th of April, 1920, by James Rankin, postman and ex-soldier, Castlederg, for the purchase of National Savings Certificates.

Cassie Gormley, sister of the sub-postmaster, who assisted him in the post office, was next indicted on charges of embezzling sums of £30, £10, and £1, handed to her for deposit in the Savings Bank book of Nellie Hughes, and also of embezzling £3 entrusted to her for deposit in the Savings Bank book of Maggie McHugh.

The accused was remanded in custody.

DISTINGUISHED CARDINAL.

Cardinal Michael Faulhaber, Munich, it is stated, will extend his personal thanks to the Catholics of the United States for their relief efforts on behalf of the German population in a series of addresses that he is to deliver in the principal cities of America. Cardinal Faulhaber has travelled in Palestine, England, France, Spain, Northern Africa, Italy, and Holland. He speaks English fluently.

A charity sermon, on behalf of St. Vincent's Girls' Orphanage, North William street, Dublin, will be preached to-morrow by the Very Rev. Frank Browne, S.J., at St. Saviour's Church, Dominick street, Dublin. Further appeals will be made in the Church of St. Peter, Phibsborough, and St. Agatha's Church, North William street.

Rev. Henry Foley, S.J., will make the annual appeal on behalf of St. Joseph's Asylum, Portland Row, Dublin, in the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, on Sunday, May 6th. This deserving institution is under the care of the Poor Servants of the Mother of God.

LAW REPORTS.

MR. CROKER'S WILL.

DAUGHTER INTERVENES.

In the Probate Court yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Richard Croker v. Bula E. Croker, which is concerned with the will of the late Mr. Richard Croker, of Glencairn, Stillorgan,

Mr. Brown, K.C., with whom were Mr. Lardner, K.C., and Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor), for the plaintiff, a son of the deceased, said that there seemed to have been some misunderstanding as to the way the order would be made up fixing the trial for 10th May.

Mr. Justice Dodd said that it was a very careful order, prepared by himself, that the case be put in the list for trial at these sittings on a date not earlier than the 10th May.

Mr. Brown asked his lordship to alter the date of trial, because it was quite impossible to be ready for the 10th May.

Mr. Justice Dodd referred to the practice, and said that he was entitled to say that the judge at Nisi Prius was not to put the case in his list at an earlier date than the 10th May. Once it was in his list the judge at Nisi Prius could do what he liked with it. The judge at Nisi Prius could adjourn it. It was now taken from him (Mr. Justice Dodd); he had no authority whatever to touch it now.

Mr. Jellett, K.C., with whom was Mr. H. Hamilton (instructed by Messrs. Miley and Miley), subsequently applied on behalf of Mrs. Ethel C. White, of Cedarhurst, Long Island, New York, U.S.A., a daughter and one of the next-of-kin of the late Richard Croker, senior, deceased, for an order giving her liberty to intervene in the action and file such pleadings as she might be advised, notwithstanding that the time for filing such pleadings had expired; and that, if necessary, the trial of the action might be postponed until such date as the Court might decide. Mr. Valentine Miley, solicitor, in an affidavit, stated that he was solicitor for Mrs. White, and on the 19th of April, 1923, he entered an appearance in the action on her behalf. On Monday, 23rd April, he received a telegram from Mrs. White stating that she wished to plead in the action and to give evidence at the trial, and instructing him to take the necessary steps on her behalf. His lordship had made an order on the 20th of April fixing the trial of the action before a judge and city special jury on the 10th of May, and people living in America were not likely to be acquainted with orders made here from day to day. He asked for a postponement. Mr. Miley should be allowed some time to obtain sufficient instructions from his client to enable him to take advantage of the liberty to intervene.

Mr. Lynch, K.C., who, with Mr. T. Sullivan, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Henry B. O'Hanlon) appeared for the defendant, stated that on 11th May, 1922, and again on 20th May, 1922, Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor wrote letters, stating that they appeared for the three children of the deceased—namely, Mr. Richard Croker, jun.; Mr. Howard Croker, and Mrs. Ethel E. White; and now they had this application made on behalf of Mrs. White.

In reply to Mr. Justice Dodd, Mr. Lynch said that he did not object to Mrs. White intervening.

Mr. Justice Dodd, in giving his decision, said that, in the words of Baron Fitzgerald, this was too flagrant. The lady was entitled to intervene without cost and without trouble, and at the same time she was represented by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor. An intervenient had no status in that court except what the judge gave her. It was suggested that she was present by her counsel, but did not take part in the settling of the issues or the ordering of the time of the trial. If she had he would not have given her liberty as of course to take any step whatever in the action. He would have considered whether the issues which she wished to raise were sufficiently raised and sufficiently effected by the persons who had put those issues upon the file, and he would have given her leave to attend the trial at her own cost, and to take such steps in accordance with the trial as the judge at the trial would think necessary in the interests of justice.

There was no suggestion that the case was not in the hands of competent solicitors. He would allow the lady to appear at the trial and take such part in it as to the judge at the trial should appear to be in accordance with justice. He would not adjourn the trial. The substantial part of the motion had failed, and this lady must pay the defendant's costs of the motion.

BAIL FOR FEMALE PRISONERS.

In the King's Bench Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Saorstat Eireann, at the prosecution of Seamus Hannigan, Superintendent of Civic Guards, Tralee, v. Kate Kerrisk, Mrs. Nora O'Donnell, Ciss Nagle, Mrs. Julia Finn, Kathleen Prendergast, Ellen Finn, Ellen O'Brien, Mary Fitzgerald and Nora Nagle,

Mr. Bernard Roche (instructed by Mr. Daniel P. King), for the defendants, applied for an order admitting them to bail for their appearance to stand their trial at the next Court for the County of Kerry having competent jurisdiction to try them on a charge already brought against them. Counsel stated that the crime for which the defendants had been returned for trial was really that of trespassing upon the lands of a neighbouring farmer, William Evans, and driving his cattle off the lands.

After the reading of affidavits,

Mr. John O'Byrne, who (instructed by Mr. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor) appeared for Saorstat Eireann, said that they looked upon this as a very serious crime.

The Court decided that the defendants should be admitted to bail, each in £50 and two sureties of £25 each.

MONAGHAN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Bankruptcy Court yesterday, at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, before Mr. Justice Pim, Mr. Nat Isaacson, a bankrupt, came up for public examination. The debtor carried on business, and when he and his wife and other witnesses had been examined, the further examination of the bankrupt was adjourned till next Friday.

SALE OF MOTOR MASCOTS.

Before Mr. Justice Dodd, sitting yesterday without a jury, the action of Louis Jacobs, jeweller, now residing in Douglas, Isle of Man, v. the Hawkins Motor Co., Ltd., of 16 Hawkins street, Dublin, was heard. The plaintiff's claim was for £54, alleged to be due for goods sold and delivered—two magnetos, £15, and two dozen mascots at 32s. 6d. each—£39.

The defendants, in their defence, denied the delivery of the goods, and pleaded that the contract sued on (if any) was a contract for the sale of goods of the value of £10 and upwards, and the requirements of Section 4 of the Sale of Goods Act, 1893, in respect of such contracts were not complied with, and that the contract was, therefore, not enforceable by action. They counter-claimed for £34 14s. 9d., the price of petrol sold and delivered, for work done and materials provided by the defendants for the plaintiff at his request, and for work done in keeping and taking care of a motor car and providing warehouse room for it for the plaintiff.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Mr. Michael Noyk) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Joseph Healy (instructed by Mr. Henry Lemass) for the defendants.

Mr. Justice Dodd allowed the plaintiff £51 on his claim, allowed the defendants £36 19s. 10d. on their counter-claim, and gave judgment for the plaintiff for the difference between the two amounts, with such costs as that amount would carry.

"THE CASE OF MISS COSTELLO."

Mrs. Anna Mary Costello, writing from 16 St. Joseph's street, Dublin, desires to contradict a statement made by Mr. Darrell Figgis during Wednesday's meeting of Dail Eireann, that the numbers of "Poblacht Na hEirinn" found in her house belonged, not to her daughter, but to her brother, Father Costello. Mrs. Costello states that the copies belonged to her; that she purchased them openly on the street, and that she assured the men who raided her house that she alone was responsible.

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.
Exam. announced for 4th July.
Last exam. March, 1923. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin:—Messrs W. J. Fitzpatrick, E. J. Joynt, G. Joynt, W. H. Stronge, M. O'Connor, A. Ganghan, H. C. L. Shade and G. F. Seale. Best Result. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working.—(Advt.)

NIGHT ATTACK ON HAULBOWLINE.

HEAVY FIRING FOR TWO HOURS.

STATE SOLICITOR'S CAR SEIZED.

The Haulbowline Dockyard, which is now in the possession of the Free State Government, was raked by machine-gun fire early yesterday morning.

The harbour was absolutely clear of any British naval craft, one of His Majesty's destroyers, which had its base in the port, having left for sea during the evening.

Just after midnight fire was opened on the island from two positons on the mainland—viz., Whitepoint, separated from the island by the main channel, which lies in a northern direction, and Ringaskiddy, about two hundred yards at the southern side.

The machine-gun fire drew a reply from the troops which garrison the island, and for over two hours firing continued with great rapidity.

A few minutes before two o'clock the Free State troops in Queenstown received a telephone message from the island as to the position of the attackers, but, although some lorries arrived at points indicated within a very short time, the firing had ceased, and the attackers disappeared. So far no casualties have been reported, but houses in the vicinity of the attackers' positions are considerably damaged.

COUNTY WATERFORD.

STATE SOLICITOR "HELD UP."

It was reported in Waterford last evening that Mr. E. A. Ryan, State Solicitor for Waterford City and County, was intercepted by eight armed men on Thursday evening, when driving in a motor car to Waterford to attend the District Court. He had reached a lonely part of the road, midway between Dungarvan and Waterford, when his car was stopped and entered by armed men, who compelled him to drive to Portlaw, several miles away. At Portlaw it is alleged that the armed men made an attack on the Civic Guards' barracks, Mr. Ryan being held as prisoner during the attack. He was subsequently released, and ordered to return to Dungarvan.

Particulars of the attack on the barracks are lacking.

CLEVER CHILD DANCERS.

MR. AND MRS. LEGGETT BYRNE'S PUPILS' MATINEE.

An announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Leggett Byrne of something "special" in the way of entertainment and demonstration arouses such interest, by reason of the long list of successful enterprises standing to the credit of these well-known and popular dancing experts, that, if the display is to be voted an outstanding success, it must attain a particularly high standard of merit.

Yesterday's matinée was an outstanding success. More than a hundred really beautifully dressed children took part, their ages ranging from a little over two years upwards.

"Under Sunny Skies" was a series of well-executed dances, *ensemble* and individual, by brightly-clad experts. There were coons, gipsies, Spaniards, Hawaians, an Egyptian, Indian, Breton, cowboy, and Redskin.

This was followed by a pantomimic "Spell of Pan," in which a jealous Pan behaves spitefully towards a Dryad and Shepherd, whose grieved minds were distracted by Forest Flowers, Moss and Ferns, while the Four Winds sought Pan and brought him before the Clerk of the Weather. Pan had to be intimidated by a brilliant Lightning, who terrified him into submission and ultimate repentance.

The *Ballet Divertissement* by senior pupils was an excellent display, which went with a smoothness which might well have been envied by a professional *corps*. This was followed by a playlet, "To-morrow," in which the boy who was to go to school on the morrow was visited by Experience, Joy of To-day, Toys, Fairie Tales, Success and All-Mother. He bid farewell to the companions of the nursery and looked forward to another meeting with Success. All-Mother, it was realised, was of all ages. The pretty scena was spoken and acted most convincingly. The story held a moral which appealed to all.

The *pièce de résistance* was "Over and Under the Sea." First the sea beach, children, grown-ups and boatmen; then the expedition to the Home of the Mermaid, where, in most effective and realistic scenery, a Sea Anemone, Corals, Nymphs, Shells, Sponges—tiny little sponges these—Seaweed, Moss, Pearls, all in appropriate splendour of attire, danced.

The whole performance was a veritable triumph of human endeavour and stagecraft, training and organisation. It was an *olla podrida* of youth and innocence and unaffected gaiety; a triumph, too, for Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Leggett Byrne and "Wanda." Their knowledge of the *technique* of the dance is complete, but they add to it a wonderful sympathy, and it is to this quality that they owe their success. The training which the pupils of all ages receive at their hands is not merely physical; it is an education. None of those on the stage yesterday realised that they were performing before a large audience in a theatre. There was a complete absence of self-consciousness. It was just play—pure, unsophisticated childhood.

The performance will be repeated in the Theatre Royal at half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

NEW ISSUE.

ANDHRA VALLEY POWER SUPPLY COMPANY'S NOTES.

Messrs. Linton, Clarke and Co. are offering to-day through Lloyd. Bank and the National Bank of Scotland £1,000,000 7½ per cent. 10-year secured Sterling Notes of the Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Ltd., Bombay. The price is 98 per cent., and the notes are repayable at par on 1st April, 1933. The notes will be in denominations of £100, £500, and £1,000, and will be secured on £1,333,333 of 8 per cent. first mortgage debentures of the company, being two-thirds of the total issue of £2,000,000, which debentures are secured by first specific mortgages and a floating charge on the whole of the assets of the company, present and future. The company operates under licence from the Government in Bombay, and over certain neighbouring municipal areas. It was formed under the auspices of Tata Sons, Ltd., and will shortly be in a position to supply to Bombay and the surrounding district 50,000 h.p. The total capital cost of the undertaking is estimated at £3,400,000, provided by shares and debentures issued in India and temporary loans. The present note issue is for the purpose of funding these loans. The interest yield on the notes at issue price will be £7 13s. per cent., or, including redemption at par, £7 16s. per cent., and this interest should, on the present basis of power and supply, be covered over three times. Five applications for £340,000 of the notes have been received from underwriters. The purchasers bought the notes at £93 per cent., and they are paying an underwriting commission of £2 per cent. and an over-riding commission of ½ per cent. The notes are a fairly good speculative short-term industrial investment, returning, for these days, a high rate of interest. Applicants should use the form attached to the prospectus, and note that the application list will close on or before Tuesday next. (Prospectus page 10.)

FUNERAL OF MR. C. B. CORDNER.

The funeral of the late Charles Banks Cordner took place at Mount Jerome Cemetery yesterday. Mr. Cordner was for many years connected with the firm of Messrs. A. Millar and Co., Ltd., Thomas street, Dublin. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Canon F. C. Hayes (cousin) and the Rev. Parkinson Hill, Rector of Zion Church, Rathgar.

The chief mourners were:—A. Noel Cordner and Hubert V. Cordner (sons), A. D. Cordner, A. A. Cordner, and R. A. Hayes, M.D. (cousins).

BRIGHT'S PURE CONFECTIONERY MADE IN Dublin. Sugar Boilings in all varieties.—Walter Brights, Ltd., Townsend street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

COAL PRICES IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—With what impatience we all turned to-day to learn what evidence would be given before the Free State Commission on the subject of coal prices, hoping therein to find an answer to the great riddle. In the report under this title, with its sub-title, "Why Charges are so High," one reads what was said yesterday by Mr. Carroll. But there is no enlightenment, save that it appeared that all coal merchants of Dublin are utterly unable to fix prices. The pit-owners, however, fix their charge; the railways and the shipowners do likewise. But when coal arrives in Dublin, coal merchants, in order to know what they can add to the total, await the *fiat* of the Coal Controller. Who is he who thus fixes prices? Under what authority does he exercise his functions? Is it statutory, governmental, or by the nomination, express or implied, of coal merchants? Is it by English law or Privy Council order that he acts? Has the Free State Ministry for Home Affairs sanctioned or continued the office? When and by whom was he appointed, and for what length of time does he hold office? Was he chosen to protect the consumer against the exactions of the merchants, or, on the other hand, to protect retailers by compelling them to charge a uniform price and thus exclude all competition? Or is the Coal Controller a survival of Great War conditions, under which consumers were allowed a few hundredweights each? If so, why should the office survive till 1923, more than four years and five months after the Armistice?

If, on account of the Ruhr hold up, there is now a big Continental demand for English coal, and if prices are now responding and "normal conditions" have again arrived, why is there a Coal Controller to prevent—at any rate in Dublin—the ordinary results of supply and demand, and to compel the coal-sellers' prices to agree to a penny in their several grades of cross-Channel coals? If one Dublin merchant on a lucky freight saves a shilling a ton on eight hundred tons of Wigan, or, himself an owner of colliers, is able to save eighteen-pence or two shillings a ton, why must there be an official to prevent him from passing on to the consumer the benefit of the cheaper cost price—which, of course, he is most anxious to do to gain custom? Why compel him, willy-nilly, to charge as much as the most unfortunate or unenterprising of all coal merchants has to charge in order that the latter may get a living?

The public are very much interested in this matter—many of them as students of political economy and all of them as buyers of one of the necessaries of life. The Commission must deal with it in no casual way. The coal merchants are apparently in the hands of inexorable fate, unable to help the groaning public and, indeed, unable to help themselves, though they acquiesce patiently in what must be.

What of Dundalk, Waterford, Cork, Limerick and Sligo? Have they the same Coal Controller, or have they some other autocrat of coal prices? If Dublin must have one, surely they also must? But why any Coal Controller; and why not at once have true competitive trade, with the resulting benefit of the many throughout the Free State?—Yours, etc.,

"KING COLE."

Dublin, April 27th, 1923.

MONSIGNOR LUZIO'S POSITION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Let us be of good cheer. From Dunshaughlin Rural Council comes the news that after the election the Government will be "down and out." "The 'big men' on the Government benches knew they would never return again." Father Sweetman, O.S.B., of Gorey fame, thinks that the people express "a pious wish" that the Irish "Intelligence Department" "may be able to spare some little time for the detection of crime"—"nearer home." I had almost forgotten these two important words.

The details of what happened at the Mount Argus Confraternity meeting I have not to hand; but among the "big men" of Dunshaughlin, Mount St. Benedict's, Gorey, the Mount Argus Confraternity, and a score or so of bodies just as representative, I wish Monsignor Luzio joy. He need have no fear of any further "hostile reception" from "certain well-defined quarters." He ought surely to be convinced by Father Sweetman's logic—as "any unprejudiced person" should be long before this late hour—that the vast majority of the people of Ireland have welcomed the Pope's efforts towards peace.—Yours, etc.,

"DIPLOMAT."

Dublin, April 27th, 1923.

OWNERSHIP OF LAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—My brother and I own a farm in Queen's County in equal shares. It was leased in 1917 to a tenant for a period of twenty-one years at a rent of £200 a year. The tenant was driven off it in the spring of 1920 by a number of people from Maryborough, who have been on it ever since. The tenant's lease has lapsed and he has no intention of returning to it. The place has been offered to the people who took possession of it at a reasonable price, either for all cash or on easy terms. They have made no effort to obtain legal possession of the land, and now a firm of auctioneers in Dublin tell us that they could sell the farm for us at quite a good price, if it were possible for a client of theirs to inspect it and if we could give a purchaser possession.

The people who have are on the land have not paid one penny rent since they took possession of it in 1920; and it is not at all likely that they have paid any rates either. We have been paying tithe rent charges and Public Board of Works charges on a hay-shed.—Yours, etc.,

"C. J. T."

April 27th, 1923.

ENNISKILLEN ROYAL SCHOOL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As Mr. Swift MacNeill is well known for his historical accuracy, as well as wonderful memory and extensive learning, I am surprised to find one so well informed describing Enniskillen School, now termed "Royal" School," by the name of the townland to which it was transferred from Enniskillen town. It was situated in Enniskillen town when Dean Swift paid a visit to Mr. Charles Grattan, its headmaster, but was, during the headmastership of the Rev. Mark Noble, transferred to the townland of Portoragh (abbreviated Portora), and his patent (still preserved) shows that he was appointed a "master" of the school "*apud*" Enniskillen.

The corruption began in the year 1857, but the school is no more that of Portora than the Bishop of Clogher is Bishop of Clones because he lives there. "Portora" is the name of the townland in which the great school of Enniskillen is situate.—Yours, etc.,

W. COPELAND TRIMBLE.

Century House, Enniskillen,
April 26th, 1923.

TREATMENT OF ANIMALS.

ENFORCEMENT OF PREVENTION OF CRUELTY ACTS.

Seconding the adoption of the report at the annual meeting of the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in the Molesworth Hall, Dublin, yesterday, Mr. Serjeant Hanna, K.C., said that he was glad, as a member of the new Irish Kennel Club, to identify himself with the work and aims of the society.

All forms of sport in which animals were employed, he said, should be carried on under such conditions as would prevent any cruelty. All such sports should be on an organised footing and should be supporters of the society.

The report set out that during the year the Committee of the society was faced with the problem of a greater need for the society's activities, coupled with a diminished income. The unsettled state of the country, it was stated, had prevented the police from giving adequate attention to the enforcement of the Prevention of Cruelty Acts.

Mr. F. O. Lyons contradicted the rumour that the Dog's Home disposed of dogs for vivisection purposes. Persons to whom dogs were sold had to sign an undertaking not to use the animals for that purpose.

IRISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Council of the Irish Medical Association was held in Dublin yesterday, when Dr. W. O'Sullivan was nominated as President for the ensuing year, and Professor Frank Purser as Vice-President.

The following resolution was passed:—"That a deputation be appointed to wait on the Director General Medical Service regarding the remuneration for medical attendance by civilian practitioners."

Wednesday, 6th June, was fixed for the annual meeting. The draft report was approved.

KILLED IN AMBUSH.

ARRESTS AND CAPTURES.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

The National Army Headquarters last night issued the following official reports:—

"Nenagh troops, on the 26th inst., arrested Michael Kennedy, Michael and Denis Ryan, James Burke, John Madden, Patrick Cleary in the house of a man named Burke, of Curraguin. Troops from Buttevant discovered a dump, containing 2 Sam Browne belts, 163 rounds .303, a coil of fuse, D.B. shot-gun, and a quantity of gun powder.

"John White, 68 North Main street, Cork, was arrested in Cork City on the night of the 25th inst., in attempting to disarm two soldiers. A man named Vincent Stack, of Dublin street, was also arrested.

"In an ambush of a small party of troops outside Kiltimagh on the evening of the 25th inst., Lieutenant Peter McNicholas, Assistant Paymaster 52nd Infantry Battalion, was mortally wounded. Troops operating in the Louisburgh district captured a touring car used by Irregulars.

"Lieutenants Behan and Gaffney, accompanied by two Civic Guards, and travelling in a Ford car from Currow, encountered a barricade on the road to Castleisland. They dismounted, and, on approaching the barricade, were subjected to a heavy fusillade from machine guns and rifles. The officers were hopelessly outnumbered, and, armed only with revolvers, replied to the fire of the attackers. They fought a retreat for half a mile, pursued by a number of the Irregulars, who kept up a heavy fire, during which Lieutenant Behan was killed. Lieutenant Gaffney succeeded in evading capture, and reported back to Castleisland. The two Civic Guards were stripped of their uniforms and released. The two officers had gone to Currow at the request of the civil authorities to settle a land dispute; it was only on the return journey, having satisfactorily settled the dispute, that they were attacked.

"In the Cork Command an Irregular named David Cosgrave, of Shanaway, Ballineen, was arrested by troops on 24th inst. The Protestant schools at Ballyderlin and Goleen, near Schull, were burnt on the morning of the 22nd inst.

"J. Hickey, Ballyneale, and Davoren, Grangemockler, two members of an active Irregular column, were arrested unarmed. At Seskin, Waterford Command, troops arrested three Irregulars unarmed, but wearing Sam Browne belts, and in possession of documents."

The National Army Headquarters last night also issued the following reports:—

"Three irregulars—two with rifles and ammunition, and the other with a revolver and 10 rounds—surrendered to troops in the Cork Command on the 26th inst. In a dump at Clashmore 2 rifles, 150 rounds of .303 ammunition, one Peter the Painter pistol and 4 rounds of ammunition, one shot-gun, and two haversacks were found on the 26th inst.

"Ballincollig troops arrested on the 26th inst. Andrew Barrett, of Inniscarra, in connection with looting and robbery activities. Mallow troops captured an active irregular, Timothy Ring, of Ballyclough, unarmed. Bandon troops arrested John and Timothy Cahalane, of Newcestown, in whose house a fully equipped potheen still was discovered. James, Dan, and Michael Harrington, Charles Sullivan, Daniel Mahoney, T. Lynch, W. O'Regan, and P. Walsh were also arrested at Newcestown.

"About 30 shots were fired at an outpost in Bandon on the night of the 26th inst. There were no casualties.

"On the 27th inst., at about 5.15 p.m., two armed and masked men robbed the Post Office at Cabinteely. Troops proceeded to the place immediately, and while carrying out searching operations on the Kill road a young man was observed running. He was placed under arrest, and proved subsequently to be one of the raiders.

"The Civic Guard station at Dunshaughlin was burnt down by irregulars on Thursday night, 26th inst."

RATHMINES RATES.

REDUCTION OF 2D. IN THE £.

A special meeting of the Rathmines Urban Council was held yesterday to strike the rates for the year 1923-1924.

In proposing the adoption of the resolution making the rates, Mr. W. Ireland, Chairman, directed attention to the fact that the Council had a credit balance of £6,018 9s. 6d., owing to savings effected on the estimates for the past year. This credit balance was taken into account when the recommendations now before the Council were adopted.

The amount required for urban purposes during the year ending March 31, 1924, was estimated at £101,160 8s. 3d., and for poor rate £56,925 4s. 1d., showing a decrease in the estimates for urban purposes on last year's figures of £7,310 16s. 4d., and an increase of the poor rate—which included county charges, malicious injuries, police tax, and union charges—of £8,314 11s. 2d.

An amount equal to sixpence in the £ for purposes connected with malicious injuries had been included in the County Council demand. There was also a considerable increase in the county charges.

It was now proposed to make an urban rate of 9s. 4d., and a poor rate of 5s. 11d., making a total of 15s. 3d., and showing a reduction in the total rates of twopence in the £. The urban rate was reduced by 1s. in the £, but it had been found necessary to strike a poor rate of 5s. 11d. in the £. The Council in Rathmines had no control over this large expenditure, amounting to £56,925 4s. 1d., raised under the heading of "poor rate."

The resolution striking the rates was then adopted.

We publish in our advertisement columns particulars of the annual dance of the Dublin University Engineering Students' Society. The Society's dances are notably successful.

U.S. MARKETS

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Friday.

Stocks opened irregular. The sensational effect of the year's highest ratio for the Federal Reserve system and the large reduction in the banks' rediscounts, denoting an absence of credit strain, was off-set by the cuts in the prices of Oil products and the stiff call money rates. Oils yielded 1 to 2 points and Chemicals 1 to .4 points. Motors and their accessories were strong, but the general list was lower. The market closed irregular.

LOSING.

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Thur.	Closing Bid Prices Fri.	Business Done
110½	Funded	102⅞	102⅞	
11½	U.S. New 4% Loan	102¾	103⅛	
9½	Atch. Top. Santa Fe.	101⅛	101⅛	
97½	Do. Preference	[illegible]	86½	
[illegible]	Do. 4% Con. Bonds	100½	100⅝	
55⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	51½	51⅜	
60⅞	Canadian Pacific	15	154½	
74¼	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	66¾	66	
21½	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	22⅝	22¼	
87½	Chicago and N.-West	81	8	
123	Do. Pref.	114½	114	
19½	Erie 1st Preferred	18	17	
49½	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	45½	45	
79⅞	Great Northern Pref.	7	73¾	
121½	Illinois Central	113	111	
18	Lehigh Valley	64	63	
15½	Louisville & Nashville	141½	141½	
8¾	Mis'ri, Kan., & Texas	8½	8	
—	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. B.	Nom.	Nom.	
16⅛	Missouri Pacific New	15½	15	
8	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	7	7	
4	Do. 2nd Pref.	3	3	
100⅛	N.Y., Ctl. & Hudson R.	93½	93	
118	Norfolk & West Com.	[illegible]	110	
79⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	74	74	
19⅜	Ontario and Western	18	18	
49⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	45½	45	
82⅛	Reading Shares	78⅛	76	
32½	Do. 1st Preferred	48	48	
91⅛	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	85½	[illegible]	
36⅜	Southern Railway	[illegible]	[illegible]	
97⅛	Southern Pacific	90½	90	
27	Texas and Pacific	25	23	
148⅜	Union Pacific	137½	137½	
77½	Do. Pref.	72	[illegible]	
96	Do. 4% Bonds	90	90	
16⅛	Wabash Common	9½	9	
32½	Do. Preferred A	30	30	
67	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com.	62½	62½	
52½	Anaconda Copper	48	48	
23½	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	21½	21	
73	N.Y. Cons. Gas	67	67	
101⅛	General Electric	178	177	
11½	U.S. Steel Common	106½	105	
1.8½	Do. 1st Preferred	119½	119	
109½	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	101½	101	
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67	67	
—	Do. (U.S. Mined) Ref.	99½	99½	
9½	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	9	9	
36½	Do. Pref'd Certs.	34½	34	
53⅞	Royal Dutch Oil	49½	49	
41½	Shell Transport	37½	38	
302½	Mexican Petroleum	280*	280	
77⅞	Pan-American Pet.	72	[illegible]	
18⅜	General Motors	16	17	
65½	U.S. Rubber	60	60	

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Do., New Orleans, Mid	28.00	28.25
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	11.50	11.58
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Do., Standard White	13.50	13.00
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Spirits of Turpentine	140	1.8
Do., Savannah	Holiday.	Nominal.
Resin, Grade K	5.7	5.0
Do., Grade F	5.02½	5.0
Lard, Prime West. Stm	12.15	12.17½
Do., Midland West	11.70—11.90	11.7—11.9
Tallow, Extra	8⅞	8½
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Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	1 8	137½
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Flour, Spring Clears	5.0—5.75	5.50—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	30.00—31.00	30.00—31.00
Tin, Straits	44.12½	44.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	7.00	6.95
Electrolytic Cop. Spot.	16½—17.00	16½—16
Do. do., Futures, July.	16½—17.00	16½—16
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom per bushel	1.6—1.9	1.6—1.9
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	11—14	11—14
Freight, Cott. to L'pool (high density)	20	20
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	25	25

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Friday.

WHEAT opened easy, ⅛c. to ⅛c. down, and weakened further, and the market closed easy at ⅞c. to 1⅛c. decline. Spot easy. No. 2 hard winter, 127½; No. 3 hard winter nominal. May, 125⅜; July, 123¼; September, 120⅜.

CORN opened easy at ⅛c. to ⅛c. fall in sympathy with wheat, and the market closed easy, 1⅛c. to 1⅜c. down. Spot No. 2 mixed, 85½. May, 80½; July, 81¼; September, 81⅛.

OATS easy at ⅛c. to ⅛c. fall. May, 46; July, 45⅞; September, 44⅜.

PROVISIONS opened steady, and improved, but then declined. The market closed barely steady, with lard 2½ points up, and ribs 5 to 2½ points down. Pork unquoted. Lard—May, 11.17½; July, 11.45; September, 11.70. Ribs—May, 9.55; July, 9.90; September, 10.17½.

BACON steady and unchanged. Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st, total 6,305,000, against 4,208,000 same season last year.

HOGS steady, with light unchanged to 15 points and heavy 5 to 10 points up.

	Short Rib Sides Drysalted	Loose.	Hogs Light		Heavy	
To-day	9.12½	10.00	7.75	8.15	7.45	7.90
Prev. day	9.12½	10.00	7.75	8.00	7.40	7.85

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

In our auction columns to-day Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce that on Thursday next, May 3rd, they will sell the substantially built cinema known as Dame street Picture House; 131 [illegible] road, Rathmines; 69 Hollybank road, Drumcondra; 110 North Circular road; Innismore House, [illegible], and 16 Trafalgar terrace, Monkstown. In each case clear possession will be given to purchaser. Full particulars are set out in our auction columns.

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"OUR STREET."

(BY K. DUBLIN.)

ROAD, rather, to give it its due, now distinguished by-ingually in the foreign tongue (Sassenach), which all who run read, and the native name (Erse), which some may, more cannot, winds in long, graceful curve twixt Drumtown of the ridge), and Glas (of the silvery stream), east and west, respectively.

Further distinguishing amenities are its tastefully designed, well built dwellings, standing two by two, each with its side entrance to the rear garden, each displaying both name and number in substantial gold lettering on its fanlight. Names are notable in the variety and extent of the reading, over and above a liberal sprinkling of saints, from those savouring of Wales to others with a piquant relish of Scotland, more Celtic, and some only traceable to a Continental source.

The picturesque amenities of "Our Street" include flourishing plane trees, set all-of-a-row in military precision along either footway, all too narrow, perhaps, persuading those of plentiful avoirdupois to negotiate it Indian file fashion, although it is but fair to remark that slimmer, more juvenile, and less hurried species of our genus homo may even go the gloaming performing the passage exceedingly well by the encircling of a masculine arm around the feminine waist, otherwise the ample width of "Our Street," exempt from heavy traffic, suggests that a couple of feet more could have well been spared on either side.

The arboreal adornment of "Our Street," with the very evident care and attention paid so the trees, including expert annual pruning, reflects unqualified credit on the Civic Fathers, as does the road itself in its perfect surface and well cambered contour. Not on them, nevertheless, wholly lies the onus, though the duty is never evaded, of having to make clean rather than keep clean. Every Saturday morning employés armed with heavy brooms and conscientious care to clean up every particle of the week's debris, for prompt removal in the capacious "yoke" gives "Our Street," for a couple of hours, at least, that air of cleanliness proverbially akin to godliness.

For them 'tis but a short cry to Sunday morning, and, Ichabod, all its glory of civic broom-work hath departed under a promiscuous garnishing of grass-cuttings, hedge-trimmings, and garden refuse generally, which Cityman, in his Saturday evening-off-hours at gardening, for which he has a very pretty taste, has dumped down, just clear, generally, not always though, of the pavement in "Our Street." There it lies, some of it, for perchance a drying wind has distributed much, or a downpour of rain has floated quantum suffit to choke the gratings. Further additions will be made on the particular morning, when well packed ash bins are stood out for the gloaming performing the passage exceedingly well by the encircling of a masculine "yoke," being invariably preceded by a venerable dame in nondescript attire bearing a capacious sack, bin after bin is trobed with all the ardour, if less discretion, of an Egyptian archæologist, and having salvaged that treasure trove on which her frugal mind is bent, a fair share of the residue in flying papers and house refuse further helps to point a moral and adorn the tale of "Our Street."

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DOWN THE DANUBE.

From Vienna to Budapest.

(BY J. S. COLLIS.)

VIENNA is brightening up now. But I was glad to leave it last September. It is not pleasant to walk in the streets of a foreign city which has fallen upon evil days, to meet always the faces of people who have music without food and song without wine; to visit the empty and neglected gardens of a palace, from which an emperor has just fallen from his high estate.

No one thinks of going from Vienna to Bundapest by any other means except boat. It is just one whole day's journey down the Danube—costing now about one shilling and sixpence!

In the early morning we embarked on the little steamer. It was packed with people of various nationalities, who throughout the journey eat and slept and slept and eat—except when roused to show their passports. For as soon as we reached the Hungarian frontier we were made to have our passports examined and stamped, our packages opened, our persons searched. But standing on the deck of the steamer and looking down upon the Danube I was unable to detect any difference between the Austrian and Hungarian portion of the river. For the Danube is no respecter of passports, and does not distinguish between one country and another through which it flows.

If we wanted to moralise we would find it teaching a very fine lesson on the subject of the newly awakened spirit of nationalism in Europe, which is destroying trade and preventing co-operation; for its waters are always pointing the truth to anyone who cares to glance at the map of Europe, that Europe is as one immense person who cannot be partitioned up into water-tight compartments without injury to each compartment. The Danube is as a vein which runs right through the sick body of Europe.

For a very long time we passed by nothing but woods on each side; long stretches of woods where there was no vegetation or possibility of crops, or any sign of human habitation. But occasionally the woods would clear, and then little lonely villages would appear, at which the steamer stopped. Judging superficially from the appearance, dress, and bearing of the people, it seemed that they were happy enough in their simple life without the cinema and the law courts, without the cup-final and the "best-seller," happy in being a little company all by themselves, "the world forgetting and by the world forgot."

The Everlasting Woods.

Going on we would be at once surrounded by these everlasting woods again. The extreme impression of loneliness which this part of the country imparted is difficult to describe. It did not seem as if anyone had ever lived here—or ever will. But at last as we came nearer to Budapest the scene began to change. The river grew Mississippi-like in its dimensions. The banks became mountains. The red evening sun threw less light upon the waters. Sometimes we passed by an old battered fortress which Napoleon had used in the days when France was hungry and, as robber of the world, had sent her legions on a quest of false and sullied glory, standing there upon the mountain side as dead and finished as the great soldier himself who had done so little good to anyone at all.

When the time comes when we can understand river-language, we will learn much from the Danube. And why should we not learn river-language? If we grant, as we do, that birds have a language of their own, in fact, that all animals have the means of carrying on a conversation—I know not how it will be proved that there is no conversation between the hills, the rivers, and the trees. Indeed, I am sure that I have often heard great talk amongst the ripples and the rapids of the waters of the world, and who has not listened to the sound of laughter in the trees! The time will come when we shall be able to learn Bird-language, Tree-language, River-language with text-books and grammar no less easily than we now learn Latin and French.

When that time comes I shall take an aeroplane and fly to the banks of the Danube and listen to her prophecies. And who can doubt that she will have much to tell me, she who has flowed forwards on her journey to the Black Sea for thousands of years, who fell or ever Arpad slew the Slavs, and will flow onwards still long after the greatness and the glory of the Western World is but a tale told in the evening by the monarchs of the East.

The Beauty of Budapest.

It was dark when we approached Budapest. The river cuts the city in two. On one side is Pesth, the work-a-day part; on the other side is Buda, the residential part upon a hill. Several beautiful suspension bridges join the two together. So, perhaps, the number of lights can be imagined. The lights to the left in Pest, the lights to the right, as if hanging in mid-air (so dark was it), upon the hill of Buda, the lights of the vehicles crossing the suspension bridges, and the various boat lights made a welcome change after the lonely woods. I write this after the event, in order to get the whole picture of the journey clear. But I find that I have forgotten half the scene which I saw entering Budapest. All of us seem to spend our lives forgetting things—forgetting the books we have read, forgetting the people we have liked, forgetting the scenery we have enjoyed. Luckily, this cuts both ways. If we forget the good things, we likewise forget the bad ones. If I cannot remember all the details of the scene above, neither can I remember all the details of the operation which I witnessed in the hospital at Vienna.

It was but one day's journey from Vienna to Budapest. But we had passed into an entirely new world. We had come from a lifeless city and a people depressed and humbled. We found ourselves amongst the "newly awakened Magyars," who had lost one thought, one sentiment, one religion—Nationalism,

Will the nations ever join hands and worship at another shrine!

APRIL VISITORS.

(BY GODFREY KILROY.)

JUST now, in our part of the world, we are noticing the return of many animals and birds we have not seen during all the winter.

The children run in to tell us that they have discovered a "weeney" pig, with a "sweep's broom" on its back, down by the shady ditch. It is our old friend, the hedgehog, awakened from his winter sleep. He has been hibernating: another name for that condition wherein the power of digestion is suspended, the heart-beats are feebler and the temperature of the blood is reduced almost to "zero."

So life has been sustained during the old months, but his sleep has left our hedgehog a little "peevish." He is hungry, and folds into a ball at the slightest touch of human hand.

The squirrel is already hopping in the woods, or taking long odds" in his jumps from tree to tree. True, he has not been quite such a stranger as our hedgehog. An unusually mild day in winter wakes the squirrel quickly and he takes the opportunity of devouring a few nuts from his winter store before again indulging in "forty winks."

About June his young are brought forth in the cosiest nest imaginable. Just like a Jenny Wren's several times magnified. The circular entrance is carefully camouflaged, and for lining the nest he likes nothing better than the soft feathers from a hen's breast—brown, strange to say, in preference to white.

And that pest—the garden snail. Perhaps, you thought he vanished for "keeps." Not so. When he felt the first sharp nip of frost he hid away with a colony of other snails, having first sealed up his shell with some mucous substance known alone to himself.

Diligent search will locate his hiding place—usually under ivy; the ivy you find clinging to ruined walls. Perhaps he is the only one of our visitors we are anxious to destroy. Later in the season our young plants will bear witness to his depredations, and the soft green cress we had looked forward to for breakfast will never be.

The birds we had almost forgotten are returning, too. Soon the swallow will build her nest of mud and clay under the rafters of the out-houses; the wild bee will hum from clover flower to clover flower; the bat will curl after flies in the scented dusk, and through the night we will hear the corncrake in the meadow fields and the weird call of the weatherwake.

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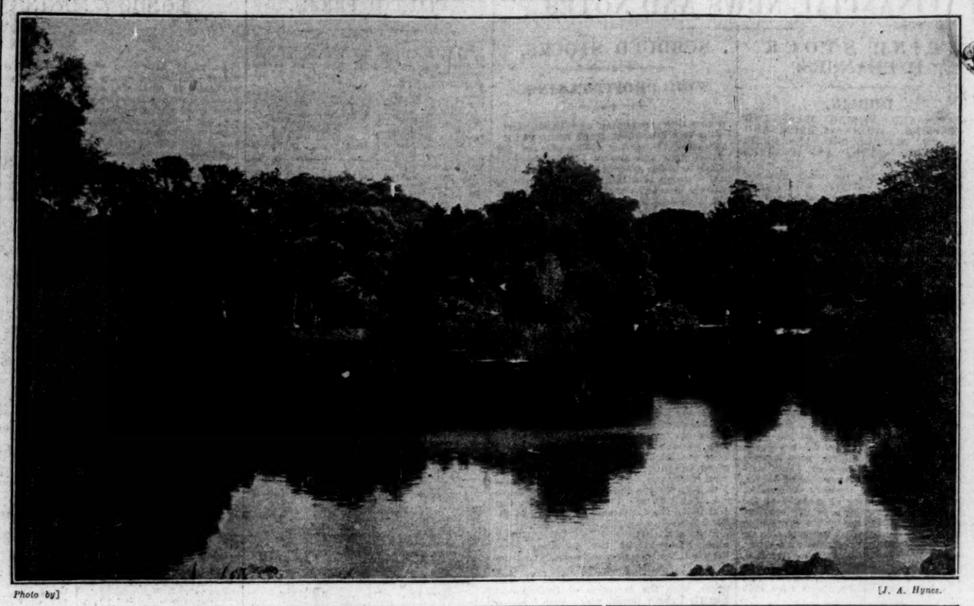

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THE TOMATO.

How To Grow It.

(BY HORTENSIS.)

THE tomato is an almost universal favourite, popular alike with the gardener, the cook and the epicure. With the gardener because it is long-suffering, prolific and profitable; with the cook and the epicure because it makes a delicious dish in a variety of ways, and because it mingles and co-operates in a friendly spirit with other delicacies.

The tomato may be grown in heated or cold greenhouses and frames, or even in a sheltered position in the open air. Anyone thinking of cropping a cold greenhouse or a cold frame with tomatoes would do well to turn their attention to the matter at once. If plants have been raised in heat, they must be well hardened off by the gradual admission of more air and by the slackening off of fire heat, until they are fit to be moved into a cooler atmosphere without fear of a check. Many people who possess no heated house do not attempt to raise their own plants, but buy them from a nursery when they are ready for their final quarters.

If this course is to be taken, preparations must be made before the plants are ordered, so that they may be planted immediately upon arrival. If possible, they should be chosen by the purchaser, but if this cannot be done they should be bought from a reliable nursery man. Cheap plants from an unknown grower generally prove a snare and a delusion, and sometimes end in disease and death. Another important consideration is the choice of varieties. Between good and mediocre varieties of tomatoes there is as much difference as there is between the best butter and margarine. Some of the well-tried varieties, such as Ailsa Craig, Kondine Red, Fillbasket and Bide's Recruit, are always safe to grow. Proof of this may be seen in all the shops and stalls at this time of the year, where thousands of plants are offered for sale, and year after year these varieties predominate.

Warming The Soil.

Before buying the plants see that the soil in which they are to be planted is nicely warmed. It should be brought into the greenhouse or frame some time before the plants are ready to go into it. If possible, use new or virgin soil, such as stacked sods from a pasture, chopped fine, and mixed with a little old mortar or slaked lime and a good sprinkling of ashes from the bonfire. If stacked turf is not to be had, a leading grower recommends the following substitute:—"After removing the top soil to a depth of eight or twelve inches, dig some of the next layer of soil; this has been tried on a large scale and has proved very good for tomatoes."

The soil to be avoided for young plants is rich soil containing a large amount of decayed animal manure, or even artificial manure. Though tomatoes are gross feeders, they cannot stand over-manuring until they are growing strongly, and even then too much manure will cause luxuriant leaf growth and lack of fruit. It is better to place a layer of old, well-decayed manure at the bottom of the pot or box, where it will serve as drainage, and will be ready for use when the plant requires extra food, than to mix it with the soil at the time of planting.

Plants that are bought from pots may be planted straight away into their fruiting pots or borders. Plants known as "transplanted" are best potted up on arrival into three-inch pots, as this hastens the fruiting period. They should be potted fairly firmly, placed in the warmest corner of the house, until they begin to root again, and shaded from hot sun for a day or two. This is the most critical time in the young plant's life, and if they are overwatered at this period they will not survive. No plant, and especially a young tomato, should be given water unless it needs it. If it is dry, give it a thorough soaking; if it is not dry, leave it alone—never water any plant for fear it should be dry later on. More plants are killed by lack of thought in watering than in any other way. If a tomato plant is happy and content its leaves should be a good deep healthy green, with a very slight blue tinge. Too little air and too much heat are being given the stems become long and drawn, and the leaves and stems become pale green. Short joints and frequent flower trusses are to be aimed at, with a moderate amount of foliage of a good deep colour. Too much air and too chilly an atmosphere will check growth, and the plants will become dark blue with dark blue stems. The remedy for this is to give very little air until the plants start growing freely again. When the pots are full of roots the plants are ready for their permanent quarters.

Manure.

For the final potting or planting a little very well-decayed stable or farmyard manure may be mixed in with the soil at the rate of one part in five, also artificial manure, such as bonemeal, sulphate of potash, or special tomato manure, at the rate of a five-inch pot to a barrow-load of soil. A good sprinkling of lime or mortar rubbish and wood ashes and soot will make compost such as the tomato will relish. After firm planting give a good soaking, and then do not be surprised if no more water is required for some time. The colour of the leaves may be taken as a guide, both for temperature and for feeding. Yellowish leaves mean that the time has come to give a soaking of liquid manure, about twice a week, when the plant is still moist from a drink of clear water.

As the plants grow they must be tied in to a cane or strung up to the roof with soft string. When they come into flower the atmosphere must be kept dry at mid-day, and the plants must be pollinated with a brush or by tapping the stem sharply to make the pollen fly. All side shoots must be pinched out directly they appear, and as soon as four or five trusses of fruit are formed the main growing point should be pinched out also, only a leaf should be left above the last truss to draw up the sap. While the fruit is swelling great care must be taken that the plants do not droop for want of water, or the flowers may drop off. A varied diet of liquid manure may be given as soon as one truss of fruit is set, but the early doses should be very weak or the tomato plant may be killed by kindness.

SOME IRISH ARTISTS.

V.—Mr. John Keating.

(BY BRUYERE.)

MR. JOHN KEATING was born in the County Limerick round about thirty years ago. That particular county has been the home of several distinguished Irish artists and men of letters: there were the de Veres, Francis Bindon, and Gerald Griffin, and there are Mr. Dermond O'Brien and Mr. Keating, to mention only a few out of many. There are very few painters, if, indeed, there are any, who work harder than Mr. Keating. He is one of those artists who believe that it is impossible to become a good artist without working hard and steadily. He would have but little patience with the fond idea of some people, that a painter's studio is a kind of playroom where, between the dances and the drinks, an occasional masterpiece is produced. Perhaps, the most noticeable and interesting thing at last year's Royal Hibernian Academy was the improvement in Mr. Keating's painting. He seems to have "come on" amazingly, to have cut away altogether from other influences, and to have started upon a line absolutely his own. It is a pity that circumstances did not permit of the holding of the Academy this spring, for it is of importance to see how the work of Irish artists is progressing. It is, of course, true that Mr. Keating, held exhibitions on their own account; but that is not enough: one wants to compare one with another. I do not know whether any steps are being taken to rebuild the old Academy, which was burned in 1916, or to find new premises. Certainly, it does not seem to be a bit too early for something practical to be done.

Mr. Keating is, probably, best known as a portrait painter, although recently he has done some fine pure landscape studies, to which reference will be made later. In his figure painting, he always manages to make his subjects tremendously "alive"; they appear to stand out from the canvas; there is none of that flatness or insipidness about them. And his colour is invariably beautifully clean. "But, then," as an art student said to me in despair a short while ago, "he uses thousands of brushes!" He is a first-rate draughtsman, and that, combined with the pure colour he can get, enables him to paint the nude superbly. His painting of the hands, however, sometimes mars an otherwise fine picture; he seems to be unable to paint a beautiful pair of hands: nearly always they look unpleasant and "streaky." Among his more recent portraits is one of President Cosgrave, while most people will remember two vivid portraits exhibited last year of a Chinaman and of Sean Moylan, and also "The Men of the South." Some time ago Mr. Keating did the Fourteen Stations of the Cross for Clongowes College—they were, I think, reproduced in the School Magazine—and in that difficult piece of work he did extremely well. In his landscapes there is the same freshness of colour as in his figure studies. They are very clear and well composed, but somehow they are not quite so convincing as his portraits; there is some quality in the latter which seems to be lacking in the former, or, perhaps, it is because of the presence of a figure in the landscapes which, in the portraits, is effective, but is unsuited to landscape painting.

As may be expected from so individual an artist, Mr. Keating is a very considerable influence upon the younger Irish painters of the present day; the power in his work could not fail to make itself duly felt. In his own painting there is something which seems to be Spanish in type, and yet I understand that Mr. Keating has never yet visited Spain. He lives up in the mountains, and there he paints hard and practises what he preaches, and lives "the simple life." He has already "arrived," and before him lies, it is safe to prophesy, a distinguished future.

"ACCORDING TO MICK."

(BY "M.")

MICK was digging a patch in the garden in which to plant out cabbages, and I knew by the look on his face that he had some specially interesting bit of news to convey to me. He pretended not to see me, and evidently wished me to understand that he worked just as vigorously when alone as when overlooked. At last he glanced up in surprise. "Good mornin', Ma'am," he said, wiping his forehead with the back of his hand. "Begob, we're gettin' the summer all at wanst; 'tis grand to hear all the birds yelpin'."

I murmured something in reply, and Mick leaned on the handle of his spade. "There's divilation goin' on down near h'uz," he said with gusto. "The greatest ould warrin' an' fightin' iver ye knew, an' all about very little."

Realising that he had a story to tell, and that it would be sheer cruelty to deprive him of the pleasure, I stood and looked interested. "Who is fighting?" I asked, "and what are they fighting about?"

Mick drew a long breath. "'Tis Mrs. Kenny an' the Widda Cooney," he said; "don't they live up agin h'uz, an' they the n'utitedist pair iver ye saw these years back? Always runnin' in an' out an' aich other's houses, an' backbitin' other people that niver did a ha'porth of harm on them, an' miscallin' people's childher whin their own wasn't such wondhers; herself used to be actchilly ragin' wid their talk betimes, an' now aren't they black out, an' atin' wan another!

"That Mrs. Kenny has a tongue like an awl, 'twould bore holes, an' Tom, the husband, a quiet, slay-goin' lad, that's not too fond of work. A 'come-a-day, go-a-day, God send Sunday' way he has wid him, God help him, the crathur. An' 'tis small encouragement he'll get from *that* lady; he might as well look for wool in a goat's house."

And as Mick here paused for breath, I gently reminded him about the fight of which he had started out to tell. "Amn't I comin' to that, Ma'am?" he said, severely, "for 'tis on iverbody's tongue, how thim two wimmen should fall out an' they like two twins, always an' iver talkin' an' clatterin' together, an' poor Tom comin' home to that of an evenin', whin he might expect a bit of pace an' aise." And Mick shook his head sorrowfully as he thought of the domestic troubles of the easy-going Tom.

Once more I attempted to arrive at the point of the story, but with as little success as usually attends any effort to hurry Mick in a narration. "It's a great wonder they quarrelled after being such friends," I remarked. "You're only sayin' what's the thruth, Ma'am," said Mick. "'Tis wan of the sivinteen wondhers of the world, that's what it is, an' th' other sixteen is child's play to it: I declare whin herself tould me last night I was near givin' her the lie. 'Is it thim to fall out?' sez I. 'It is that,' sez she. 'What are ye sayin'?' sez I"—but here I took a firm stand, for when Mick begins in this strain he must be stopped at all costs.

"Well, Mick," I said, "I'm afraid I must go in; you can tell me about the fight some other time," and I moved away. Mick was flabbergasted. "'Twas all over a chicken, Ma'am," he called after me, as I paused once more. "Wan of the young Kennys pelted a chicken belongin' to the widda Cooney wid stones, an' she seen them at it." I looked back to where the narrator stood with his spade poised once more. "Was the chicken killed?" I asked. "'Twas pounded to ointmeat," said Mick, dramatically, and his story was ended.

THE ORIGIN OF SHRAPNEL.

(BY "L.")

ABOUT the middle of the last century a certain Captain Henry Shrapnel, of the 3rd Dragoon Guards, was in command of one of the many military barracks in Ireland, he was the son of the man who won fame by his invention of a deadly type of projectile, and whose name has been incorporated in the English language. The story of the elder Henry Shrapnel's life is one of toil with little reward, for in spite of the enthusiastic praise which his invention received from the foremost English military chiefs of his day he died in 1842 a sadly disappointed man.

He was a young lieutenant of artillery, only twenty-three years old, when the idea of a new type of shell came into his mind, and for nearly twenty years he devoted all his leisure time and all the money he could spare to the perfecting of this and some other less important inventions. The idea of the Shrapnel shell is simple. While all the shells previously in use were filled with powder and were chiefly used for the destruction of walls and fortifications, his was to be a man-killing machine, so he made the walls thinner and filled the case with bullets, adding a small bursting charge, just strong enough to spread the bullets without disturbing their flight, which would scatter them over a considerable area with the same velocity which the shell had when it burst.

The charge was exploded by a fuse, timed to act when the shell was about a hundred yards in front of its objective. Various changes have been adopted in recent years with the introduction of rifled guns and elongated projectiles, but the main principle of the shrapnel shell has remained unchanged.

The new shell was first recommended for general use by the Board of Ordnance in 1804, and was used with great success in the attack on Surinam in that year. Wellington used it in the Peninsular War, and thought it so valuable a discovery that he wished the invention to be kept a profound secret, suggesting at the same time that compensation should be made to the inventor for the deprivation of fame and honour which this secrecy would entail. Sir George Wood, who commanded the artillery at Waterloo, wrote to Shrapnel three days after the battle, attributing the victory to the assistance rendered by his shell. Similar letters poured in to the inventor, and various hints at substantial recognition were made, but the years passed and he received nothing. When he was gazetted a colonel he wrote to the Board of Ordnance pointing out that he had reason to expect some reward for nearly thirty years' work and the expenditure of thousands of pounds in perfecting his invention. The Board replied briefly that they had "no funds at their disposal for the reward of merit," but shortly after the Treasury granted him a pension of £1,200 a year for life.

This reward, however, proved in the end a doubtful blessing, for it was quoted whenever the question of promotion in rank or remuneration for any of Shrapnel's other inventions was raised, and in the end he would have been far better off if the grant had never been made. In 1837 he was made a lieutenant-general, and the King, William IV., signified a desire to bestow some honour on him. Shrapnel wished for something that would descend to his son, and he was eventually promised a baronetcy. But the King died and the honour was never conferred. After Shrapnel's death his son pressed the claim for reward on the Government, and had it raised in both Houses of Parliament, but without success. In anger then he left England, emigrating to Canada, where his family has lived ever since.

GROWING TOBACCO

(BY R. O'B.)

THERE is no more interesting hobby than tobacco growing, and, apart from the pleasure to be derived from the relaxation afforded by taking it up, the amateur will, if sufficiently painstaking, be able to reduce his tobacco "" by many pounds in the course of the year.

The prospect is alluring, inasmuch as he will not have to pay any duties on his produce, and, in addition, he may enjoy the fragrant weed for the bare cost of its production. Culture difficulties need not cause the amateur any uneasiness. It is, of course, necessary to get the right kind of seed, and, possibly, the Virginian will suit the Irish soil best. Botanically it is known as "*Nicticana Tobacum*," though in certain parts of Ireland the Turkish or Syrian variety has been found more satisfactory.

The *modus operandi* is simple. The seeds are sown in a frame, and planted out in early summer, and the harvest is gathered in late September or early October. The plants are cut off close to the ground, and strung on small rods, which are suspended in a drying shed. It is here mistakes are liable to occur. The drying must be done correctly, or the crop will be spoiled. So many factors enter here that it is best to say that the first year will very likely see many miscalculations in the amount of air, the regulation of heat, the question of moisture, and so forth, and from these mistakes enough will be learned to put things right for the second season.

All kinds of special processes are used in commercial undertakings, which need not trouble the amateur. He has only to remember one vital point. When the leaves are dry they are very brittle, and just before stripping he must give them a sort of vapour bath, which enables them to be handled without danger. They can then be packed tight, and bound round with sacking into a kind of bad. The amateur has then a cake of tobacco exactly like that which is used in the Navy.

By becoming his own grower, the pound of tobacco, which now costs anything from 1s. upwards, may be produced by the amateur by his own efforts for a couple of shillings.

QUEBEC.

The City—The Province—A Notable Lieutenant-Governor.

(BY SHEKERLEB.)

A TRIP to Canada is a most exhilarating experience. There is nothing like a voyage across the Atlantic for soothing jaded nerves and re-charging one with energy. That week or more at sea just serves to detach one for a while from the old interests, and prepare the mind to receive fresh impressions.

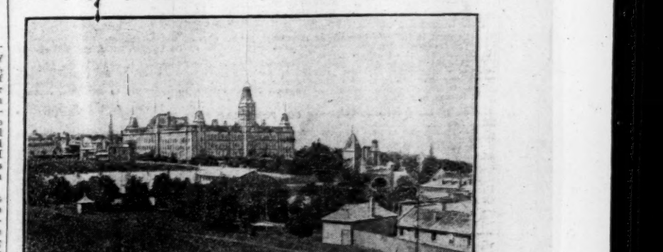
The voyage itself is by no means void of excitement, for there is a chance of seeing, as I did, porpoises and whales disporting themselves in the water, as well as an iceberg or two, the near neighbourhood of which is signified by an extreme chilliness in the air. These are very wonderful and beautiful to look upon. They assume different shapes, but a large one I saw suggested a mountain of loaf sugar or alabaster.

The approach of the steamer to land causes quite a commotion among the passengers, and the first sight of the coast in the distance gives a kind of Columbus feeling to those who are on their maiden voyage. Newfoundland is the first land our eyes rest on. This is the oldest British colony, but does not form a part of Canada; the inhabitants are indignant if their letters are addressed "Newfoundland, Canada." Anticosti and Belle Isle are also passed as the steamer enters the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

The River St. Lawrence.

Here we enter one of the great rivers of the world, for it is seven hundred and fifty miles long. The honour of being its first discoverer and explorer belong to Jacques Cartier, a Frenchman, who also gave it its name. In 1534 he sailed up the gulf and entered the river. So wide and powerful was the stream that he felt certain it must come from the interior of the continent.

Exploring further up the river, he came upon an Indian settlement called Hochelaga, but which he re-named Mount Royal, and which we know as Montreal. It is a thrilling sensation, which I have myself enjoyed, to ascend that mountain at the rear of the city, which is still called Mount Royal, and upon which a precipitous park has been planted.



Parliament Buildings and St. Louis Gate.

It rises to a height of seven hundred and forty feet, and as one stands on the top there is visible from that point the crowded city of domes and spires, the splendid public buildings, great warehouses, and busy streets. On account of its population, and because it is the headquarters of commerce, shipping, and railways, Montreal holds the title of metropolis of Canada, although Ottawa is the seat of Government and the capital.

Quebec City.

At the opening of the seventeenth century, another Frenchman, Samuel de Champlain, having first established a European colony in Acadia, or Nova Scotia, familiar to us as the scene of Longfellow's "Evangeline," afterwards visited the St. Lawrence, and founded the city of Quebec. The name, like so many in this part of Canada, is a French one, and is transferred from Brittany. The city was founded in 1608, and thus "New France" came into being, though Cartier and his followers had already some seventy years before erected a cross on the shore of the river, claiming the country in the name of their king.

From the time of the foundation of Quebec, there began between England and France that struggle for supremacy in the new world which lasted for a century and a half. The Battle of the Plains of Abraham in 1759, in which both the British General Wolfe and the French General Montcalm were mortally wounded, ended in a decisive victory for the British. And thus French rule ended and British rule began, and has continued until the present day.

Gazing upon those giddy heights, up which Wolfe and his followers had to climb, it appears to have been an almost impossible task; but the victory of the British was only rendered possible by the French having traitors within their own camp. Readers of Thackeray will remember the part it has in "Virginians" where the taking of Quebec is so vividly depicted. A more modern writer, Sir Gilbert Parker, himself a Canadian, has chosen the same period of history as the background for his famous "Seats of the Mighty."

Quebec has been called the Gibraltar of Canada, and is a most quaint old place. It has been well defined as "a small bit of mediæval Europe, perched upon a rock," and Dickens wrote of "its giddy heights, its citadel suspended, as it were, in air; its picturesque, steep streets and frowning gateways." It is just like a little bit of old France, and the majority of the inhabitants speak chiefly French. Indeed, all along the St. Lawrence one passes innumerable French villages, with their white cottages and towering church spires. It was in October that I was there, and the glittering tin roofs and spires, in the glorious sunshine of an Indian summer, made an attractive spectacle. The inhabitants, who are still called "Habitans," retain many of the characteristics of the Norman peasantry in the time of Louis XIV.

Among much that is ancient and reminiscent of the past, a very modern bridge which spans the St. Lawrence at Quebec, claims special notice. It was begun in 1900, and after various accidents and delays, was finally finished in 1917. It is the finest cantilever structure, with the greatest span, in the world, for it is ninety feet greater than the famous Forth Bridge.

Quebec Province.

It is not easy to realise how very modern Canada is as a political unit, for it is only this year celebrating its jubilee as a Dominion. Before 1873, each province was separate and independent, and had its own Governor. During the momentous years of 1812-1825 my great-grandfather was Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. Colonel Daniel Paterson, of the Royal Engineers, was a military man of some distinction, and "Paterson's Road Book" was long a standard book of reference in the British Army. It is dedicated to Colonel George Morrison, Quartermaster-General, also a prominent figure in the early history of Quebec as a British possession.

The Province of Quebec is nearly four times the size of England. When French Canadians first became British subjects, in 1759, they only numbered between sixty and seventy thousand, but they have now greatly increased, and the majority are found in Quebec Province. A well-known mediæval writer on Canada says of these:—"The French people remained, and their descendants remained, in Canada; and their presence there—those two million fine, happy, prosperous French-Canadians, who combine loyalty to the British Empire with a love for France—supplies, I think, the noblest object-lesson in international fraternity anywhere to be found on the earth. It is an object-lesson that grows in distinctness, as our eyes open to new possibilities of unarmed amity; for as last we are slowly awakening to the knowledge that brotherhood is a higher interest of the human race, and may even call for a loftier type of bravery than bloodshed."

The Citadel from the River.

RUPERT BROOKE.

(G. J. B.)

THE Intellectuals were at a discount during the War; yet one has but to glance back at the terribly thinned ranks of the younger generation of English poets to realise that they, at least, did not allow their patriotism to be obscured by intellectual casuistry. At the call to arms they were among the first to respond, and many of those in whose hands the future of English letters rested now lie in Flanders or Gallipoli. Most of them were too young to have given more than a promise of their powers, and of these Rupert Brooke is probably the most distinguished. To the general public he is best known as the author of the sonnet beginning—

"If I should die, think only this of me:
That there's some corner of a foreign field
That is forever England."

but in the nine years of his literary productive life he has left behind a slender volume of verse which deserves something more than casual mention.

Brooke, like most of his contemporaries, was one of those who are intensely in love with life. Among his many activities, whether he was acting in *Faustus* at Cambridge, or playing for his school XV. at Rugby, this love of life was the most essential trait in his character. He was tremendously interested in everything, and tremendously eager to take an active part in whatever was going on. "I can watch," he said, "a dirty, middle-aged tradesman for hours, and love every dirty, greasy, sulky wrinkle in his weak chin, and every button on his spotted, unclean waistcoat." It may be too much to say that the faculty of being vicariously interested is characteristic of the present generation, but it is certain that few possessed this faculty to a greater extent than Rupert Brooke.

His intense activity, physical and intellectual, was not without its drawbacks. At times a communion in things in general, and in poetry in particular, sank to a very low ebb, indeed, leaving the unhappy poet gasping in an atmosphere of pessimism and despair.

When we turn to his works we find some verses of intense feeling, mixed with much that is delightfully whimsical, and a little that is merely prettily ornamental. The five sonnets written in 1914 shew how deeply he was stirred by the War and how ardent, yet restrained, was his patriotism. There is nothing in his works more instinct with delicate and suggestive pathos than the lyric, "Day that I have loved," of which the following extract gives a fair idea:—

". . . Void now and tenebrous,
That grey sands curve before me. . . From the inland meadows,
Fragrant of June and clover, floats the dark, and fills
The hollow sea's dead face with little creeping shadows,
And the white silence brims the hollow of the hills."

When one turns from this to such pieces as "A Channel Passage," or the sonnet beginning "I did not think you thought I knew you knew," one is struck by the singular range of his subjects and power.

His letters are, perhaps, the most delightful, certainly the most amusing part of his compositions. Most of them are merely outrageously egotistical nonsense, yet thoroughly engaging, and nearly all are full of a most intense delight and interest in himself and his surroundings. After their perusal one would like to quote Mr. Benson, and say that he was the most gorgeous player at life that ever was." Here is a typical example of his epistolary style:—"I work hundreds of hours a day at stuffy classics, and ooze with grammar. To save my soul I write thousands of poems in the evening and burn them. I'll quote you one:—

"Things are beasts,
Alas! and Alack!

If life is a succession of choreic anapaests, When, ah! when shall we arrive at the Paeonine?"

His soliloquising on the Irish situation in the early part of 1914 is summed up as follows:—"I do hope they're going to let the Orangemen slit all the priests' throats first, and then shoot *them*. I'll enlist on either side any day."

When the War broke out he was deeply stirred, and on the 27th September was given a commission in the Royal Naval Division. The rest of his career is soon told. Early in 1915 he was ordered East, and during the voyage displayed his usual vivacity. On the 17th April the Division landed at Scyros, and there three days later he became ill. He was found to be suffering from acute blood-poisoning, and, in spite of the doctor's efforts, he died on the 23rd April at the age of twenty-eight. The island grave is marked with a white marble cross, with an inscription in Greek, which runs as follows:—"Here lies the servant of God, Sub-Lieutenant in the English Navy, who died for the deliverance of Constantinople from the Turks."

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The Notes will be secured by a Trust Deed in favour of The Law Debenture Corporation, Limited, as Trustee containing the Company's obligation for payment of principal and interest, and providing for the issue to the Trustee as security for the Notes of 8 per cent. First Mortgage Debentures of the Company to Bearer (maturing on 1st April, 1937) for the nominal amount of Twenty million Rupees, equivalent at 15 Rupees to the £ to £1,333,333. These Debentures are part of an issue limited to Thirty million Rupees (£2,000,000), of which Ten million Rupees (£666,666) have been issued in India, and they will constitute a first mortgage or charge according to the Laws of India upon the present and future lands, buildings and fixed plant and machinery of the Company, and a floating charge upon its other assets present and future.

Interest will be payable half-yearly on the 1st April and the 1st October.

The Notes will be registered and issued in denominations of £100, £500, and £1,000. The Register will be kept at the office of Tata, Limited, Capel House, New Broad street, London, E.C. 2, and interest and principal will be payable in London in Sterling.

TRUSTEE FOR THE NOTEHOLDERS:

THE LAW DEBENTURE CORPORATION, LIMITED.

LLOYDS BANK LIMITED

AND

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND LIMITED

are authorised, as Bankers for and on behalf of Messrs. LINTON CLARKE and CO. who have purchased them from the Company, to receive at their respective Head Offices and Branches applications for the purchase of the above £1,000,000 7½ per cent. Ten Year Sterling Notes at the price of 98 per cent., payable as follows:—

UPON APPLICATION	5 PER CENT.	
" ACCEPTANCE	20 " "	
" 30th MAY, 1923	73 " "	
	98 " "	

Payment in full may be made on acceptance, but no discount will be allowed.

The first payment of interest on the Notes is to be made on 1st October, 1923, and will amount to £2 12s. 7d. per cent. less Income Tax.

Information as to the Company, its undertaking, assets, and prospects is given in the following copy of a letter which has been addressed to Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co. by the Company, which letter states that the estimated capital cost of the Company's undertaking is £3,400,000, and that the estimated annual revenue available for payment of the interest on the Notes is £259,334, covering such interest over three times.

London, 23rd April, 1923.

To Messrs. LINTON CLARKE and CO., Pinners Hall, Austin Friars, E.C.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to your proposed purchase from us of £1,000,000 7½ per cent. Ten Year Secured Sterling Notes, we beg to give you the following information:—

The Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Limited, was incorporated under the Indian Companies Act, 1913, on the 31st August, 1916, with a capital of Rupees 21,000,000 (£1,400,000) in 16,000 Ordinary Shares of Rupees 1,000 each, and 5,000 Preference Shares of Rupees 1,000 each. Of these 15,958 Ordinary Shares and 4,934 Preference Shares have been issued and the whole amount thereof called up. Rupees 20,876,800 (£1,391,786) having been paid up, and Rupees 13,200 (£1,014) are in course of being paid up. The Company has also issued in India Rupees one crore (£666,666) 8 per cent. First Mortgage Debentures.

The Company was formed under the auspices of Tata Sons, Limited, for the purpose of meeting as far as possible the demand existing for electric power in Bombay over and above the capacity of the Tata Hydro Electric Power Supply Company, Limited, formed in 1911, and acquired from that Company a Licence granted to it by the Government of Bombay under the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, for the supply of Electrical Energy in the City of Bombay, the municipal areas of Kurla, Bandra, Matheran, Kalyan, Thana and Ghatkoper, and local areas near the Railway Stations of Andheri, Santa Cruz, and Vile-Parle, on the Bombay Baroda and Central India Railway. The demand for Electric Power in Bombay has largely increased since the formation of this Company, and a third Power Company has been formed under the same auspices. When this new Company's works are completed, there will be three Companies all under the agency of Tata Sons, Limited, capable of producing 685,000,000 B.T. units per annum.

The works of the Company are practically completed. The greater part is in operation, and the whole is expected to be in full operation by June next. The Power House, which is substantially constructed of masonry, concrete, and steel, is situate in the Andhra Valley, about 56 miles from Bombay, and contains a Generating Plant comprising six generators and transformers capable of supplying in Bombay an average load of 50,000 h.p. The head of water is provided by a lake formed by the construction of a masonry dam 190ft. high 142ft. wide at the base and 15ft. at the top, and 1,850ft. long. The lake is nine miles long, with a storage capacity of 14,484 million cubic feet, and covers an area of 12.5 square miles, the water being conveyed to the Power House by a tunnel and pipe lines. There are transmitting lines, consisting of a double line of three conductors carried on steel trestle towers transmitting the current from the Power House to Bombay, a Receiving and Transforming Station in Bombay, and transmission cables to consumers' works with the necessary transforming plant. The Company's Power House and the Power House of the Tata Hydro Electric Supply Company and their respective Receiving Stations in Bombay are inter-connected by tie-lines. There are also nine miles of broad-gauge railway connecting the Power House with the G.I.P. Railway and a large repairing workshop in Bombay, a full equipment of spare parts of machinery and apparatus, also the necessary transport equipment of motors, cars and lorries.

The total capital cost of the undertaking is estimated at approximately £3,400,000. This has been provided by the Share Capital and Debentures issued in India (producing upwards of £2,000,000) and by unsecured temporary loans. The Notes are being issued for the purpose of funding these temporary loans, with the exception of a sum of about £333,000, which has been provided by Tata Sons, Limited, and will be gradually discharged out of profits, and in the meantime will rank behind the Debentures upon which the Notes will be secured.

The Notes will be secured by a Trust Deed in favour of The Law Debenture Corporation, Limited, as Trustee, containing the Company's obligation for payment of principal and interest, and providing for the issue to the Trustee of Twenty million Rupees (£1,333,333) 8 per cent. First Mortgage Debentures to Bearer of the Company (maturing on 1st April, 1937), part of a total issue of Thirty million Rupees (£2,000,000), of which Ten million Rupees (£666,666) have been issued in India, as above stated, which will be secured by a Trust Deed dated 16th February, 1922, and a supplemental Deed now in course of preparation in favour of Mr. Fakhruddin Currimbhoy, Mr. Framroze Edulji Dinshaw and Mr. Ratanji Dadabhoy Tata as Trustees, which will constitute a first specific mortgage or charge according to the Laws of India upon the present and future lands, buildings, and fixed plant and machinery of the Company, and a floating charge upon its other assets, present and future.

The Company has been supplying power in Bombay since September last, and already has ten-year contracts with consumers in Bombay, comprising 35 Cotton and Textile Mills, operating an aggregate of about 1,500,000 Spindles and about 33,000 Looms, a Flour Mill and an Ice Factory, which it is estimated will require about 100 million B.T. units per annum at .725 annas per unit.

In addition to the above, the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Company, which has a rapidly increasing demand, has entered into a 15-year contract, with option to extend it, with the three Hydro Electric Companies (of which this Company is one) under the agency of Messrs. Tata Sons, Limited, for the supply of current and it is computed that this Company's proportion of the supply will be 60 million units per annum at about .6 anna per unit. The Tramways Company are day and night consumers.

With regard to the capital value of the undertaking, the capital cost estimated, as above stated, at £3,400,000 shows a surplus, after providing for the £666,666 Debentures already issued in India, of £2,733,334, and with regard to earning capacity, at the rates at which power is being supplied under existing contracts, and assuming that the Company's proportion of the supply to the Bombay Electric Tramways Company is as above stated, the annual revenue should be £466,000, while working expenses and depreciation will not, it is estimated, exceed £153,332, leaving a profit of £312,668, which, after deducting the interest on the £666,666 Debentures issued in India, amounting to £53,334, will leave £259,334 available to meet the interest on the Notes amounting to £75,000 per annum, which is thus covered over three times.

In all cases where sterling is mentioned it has been reckoned at 15 rupees to the £.

Yours faithfully,

THE ANDHRA VALLEY POWER SUPPLY CO., LTD.

(Signed) H. TREBLE, Its Attorney.

Applications for the purchase of the Notes, which must be in multiples of £100, must be made on the accompanying form and forwarded to Lloyds Bank Limited, 72 Lombard street, E.C. 3, or any of its Branches, or to the National Bank of Scotland Limited, 42 St. Andrew square, Edinburgh, or any of its Branches, with the amount payable on application.

If any application is not accepted the deposit will be returned in full by cheque through the post, and if any application is accepted in respect of less than the full amount of Notes applied for, the balance of the application money will be applied towards the amount payable on acceptance, and any surplus will be returned by cheque through the post.

Failure to pay the amount payable on acceptance or the final instalment on the due dates will render the amount previously paid liable to forfeiture, and the contract of sale to cancellation. Interest on overdue instalments will be charged at 10 per cent. per annum.

Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co. will procure that the Notes, applications for which are accepted hereunder, will be issued direct by the Company to the applicants or their nominees.

Due notice will be given when the Definitive Notes will be ready for delivery in exchange for fully paid Acceptance Letters.

The price agreed to be paid by Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co. to the Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Limited, is £93 per cent., Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co. paying an underwriting commission of Two per cent., an overriding commission of one-half per cent., and the other expenses (advertising, brokerage, etc.) of this offer.

A copy of the agreement under which Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co. purchase the Notes, the original of the above-mentioned letter from the Company, and the draft (subject to revision) of the Trust Deed securing the Notes may be seen at the Office of Messrs. Grundy, Kershaw, Samson and Co., 6 Austin Friars, London, E.C., during business hours, while the list of applications remains open.

A brokerage of 10/- per cent. will be paid upon allotments made in respect of applications from the public bearing the stamp of a stockbroker, banker, or other approved agent.

Copies of this Offer for Sale and Forms of Application may be obtained from Lloyds Bank, Limited, 72 Lombard street, E.C. 3, and branches; the National Bank of Scotland Limited, 42 St. Andrew square, Edinburgh, and branches, and from Messrs. Linton Clarke and Co., Pinners Hall, Austin Friars, E.C. 2.

London, 27th April, 1923.

THE ANDHRA VALLEY POWER SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Directors.

Sir D. J. TATA, Kt. (Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd.), Ex-Officio Director, Chairman.
Sir SASSOON DAVID, Bart., K.C.S.I. (Messrs. Sassoon J. David and Co.).
Sir FAZULBHOY CURRIMBHOY, Kt., C.B.E. (Messrs. Currimbhoy, Ebrahim and Sons, Ltd.).
The Hon. Mr. LALUBHAI SAMALDAS, C.I.E. (Messrs. Lalubhai Samaldas and Co.).
R. D. TATA, Esq. (Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd.).
TRICUMDAS GORDHANDAS KHATAU, Esq. (Messrs. Khatau Makanji and Co.).
NAROTTAM MORARJEE, Esq. (Messrs. Morarjee Gocoldas and Co.).
A. N. DATAR, Esq. (Accountant-General, Baroda State), Special Director.
F. E. DINSHAW, Esq. (Messrs. Payne and Co., Solicitors, Bombay).
A. J. BILIMORIA, Esq. (Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd.), Special Director.
H. P. GIBBS, Esq. (Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd.)

Bankers.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED, THE TATA INDUSTRIAL BANK LIMITED, THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Solicitors.
Messrs. LITTLE and CO., Bombay.

Auditors.
Messrs. K. J. FERGUSON and CO. Khan Bahadur JAMSHEDJI A. DALAL.

Agents.
Messrs. TATA SONS, LIMITED.

Registered Office.
Nos. 2 and 2a Navsari Buildings, Fort, Bombay.

Solicitors for the Trustee to the Noteholders.
BIRCHAM and CO., 50 Old Broad street, London, E.C. 2.

Solicitors for this Offer.
GRUNDY, KERSHAW, SAMSON and CO., 6 Austin Friars, London, E.C. 2.

No. ....

The Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Limited, Bombay. (29)

(Incorporated under the Indian Companies Act, 1913.)

OFFER FOR SALE OF £1,000,000 Seven and a-half per Cent. Ten-Year Secured Sterling Notes at 98 per cent.

APPLICATION FOR PURCHASE OF NOTES

To Messrs. LINTON, CLARKE, and CO., Pinners Hall, Austin Friars, E.C. 2.

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £............, being a Deposit of 5 per cent. on the nominal amount of £............ * of the above 7½ per Cent. Ten-Year Secured Sterling Notes, I/we offer to purchase that amount or any smaller amount of the said Notes in respect of which you may accept this offer, upon the terms of your Offer for Sale dated 27th April, 1923, and to pay the balance due from me/us by the instalments specified in the said Offer for Sale.

Dated this........... day of................, 1923.

PLEASE WRITE PLAINLY.

SIGNATURE ....
NAME (IN FULL) ....
(State if Mr., Mrs. or Miss.)
ADDRESS (IN FULL) ....
....
....
OCCUPATION ....

*Applications must be made for not less than £100, and must be in multiples of £100.

This Form when duly filled up as directed above, should be sent entire, with the necessary remittance, to Lloyds Bank Limited, 72 Lombard street, London, E.C. 3, or Branches; or to the National Bank of Scotland Limited, Head Office, Edinburgh, or Branches.

Cheques should be crossed and made payable to BEARER.

If altered from "Order" to "Bearer" the alteration should be signed by the drawer.

An acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course, either by Allotment Letter or return of the Deposit.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

ACTIVE AND STRONG WEEK-END CLOSING. GUINNESS BRISK AND GOOD. CASHEL ORD. AND PREF. RELAPSE. BANKS AND SPINNERS IN DEMAND.

Contrary to custom, the usual week-end market on 'Change was lively and strong in the majority of cases. Particularly brisk dealing took place in Guinness Ord. Shares at distinctly better prices, despite further selling orders from the other side. The Funds were strong practically without exception. Irish Land and India Stocks were particularly good. Banks were again a feature of strength, with further gains, and closed firm. Guinness Ord. supplied the feature of the day, and finished, after heavy dealing, good at a rise of practically a full point. City Steam Stock was strong on the very satisfactory report recently issued, which seems to leave a good margin for investors at current price when the distribution of the assets takes place. Marconis remain on sale. Home Railway Ord. were lower on balance, especially Great Southern and Western, but Pre-Ord. issues were again singularly strong. Baronial Guaranteed Stocks rose where dealing took place. Trams were firm, especially Dublin United issues. Parent Tyre Pref. fell a few pence, but were still wanted at the close. The Def. were bid for, but did not quote. Bakery and Drapery Shares were scarcely altered, with few transactions. There were fairly lively dealings in Manufacturing Shares, with the prevailing tendency favourable. Spinners were a feature of strength at the close. The annual accounts of this company are usually issued in May for the year ending 31st March, and satisfactory accounts, etc., are evidently expected. Burke issues were better, and Alex. Thom and Co. Pref. realised 55s., which price was bid since the increased dividend was recently notified. Imperial and British-American Tobacco Shares were both supported.

The Funds were generally harder, though War Loan 4 p.c. (Deed Stock) realised 101. War Loan 5 p.c. repeated 101⅛ x.d., and then rose ⅛ to 101¼. Guaranteed Land Stock was firmer at 62¼. Conversion Loan 3½ p.c. relapsed 1/16 to 81½. Irish Land 2¾ p.c. rose 1 to 63¼, and India 3½ p.c. 1/16 to 70⅞. Victory Bonds were firm at 94⅞.

Banks closed strong. Bank Stock rose 2 to 242, Hibernians ⅛ to 7⅞, and Munsters 1/16 to 8. Nationals repeated 21 21¼.

Among Breweries, Guinness Ord. opened ½ better at 50¼, reached 50½, and closed 50⅝ on the earlier market. At the afternoon 'Change the price went ahead again to 50⅞ ¾ ⅞. The Pref. fell 1/16 to 12⅛. Dublin Distillers Pref. rose 1s. 6d. to 79s., and J. Power and Son Pref. 1½d. to 20s.

Radio Common fell 3d. to 16s. 3d., and the Prefd. 3d. to 15s. 3d. Marconi Ord. closed about 47s. 6d. unofficially.

City Steam Stock rose 2¼ to 136⅞.

As regards Home Rails, Midland Great Western recovered ¼ to 33¼, the 4 p.c. Pref. remain 50 bid, a rise of 3 on last business done level. Great Northern Ord. relapsed ½ to 67½, but the Pref. were bid up 1 to 63, with no Stock on the market, while the Guaranteed rose 5 to 70. Great Southern was realised and relapsed 1½ to 49½, after opening at 50, and the Pref. 1⅞ to 57⅞, but the Debs. rose 1 to 73½. Dublin and South Eastern City of Dublin Junction Guaranteed were held for 62, or 2½ over last marking, and the "A" Debs. closed 1 higher at 62 64 nominally. Great Northern Debs. were held for 80, or 1 over last price. Ballinrobe and Claremorris Baronial rose 2s. 9d. to 60s., and West Clare Baronial 2s. 6d. to 87s. 6d.

In Trams, Dublin United Ord. rose 1/16 to 7⅛, the Pref. ¼ to 10½, and the "B" 4 p.c. Debs. 1/16 to 67 x.d. Anglo-Argentine 4½ p.c. Debs. realised 77 1/16.

In Tyres, Parent Pref. fell 3d. to 14s. 3d., but Dunlop Rubber Ord. rose 3d. to 9s. 9d., 9s. 10½d.

In Bakery Shares, Johnston Ord. repeated 77s. 6d., and in Drapery Shares Todd Burns Debs. also remain at 70s., while Walpole Bros. Pref. still called 65s. bid.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Bleachers repeated 50s. 3d., but Dyers fell back 6d. to 59s. 6d., 59s. Coats rose 6d. to 69s. 6d., and the "B" Pref. 6d. to 25s. 6d. Calicos opened unaltered at 26s. 9d., but at the later market fell 6d. to 26s. 3d. Cottons rose 6d. to 50s. 3d., 50s. 6d., and Spinners, after repeating 51s. 9d., rose to 52s. 6d., 53s., with the Pref. 10½d. higher at 19s. 10½d. British-American Tobacco, after falling 1½d. to 94s. 9d., rose to 95s. Imperials opened easy at 87s., 87s. 1½d., but at later 'Change rose to 87s. 3d., 87s. 6d., and Canadians realised 26s. 9d. Courtaulds fell 6d. to 72s. 9d.

Alliance Gas Debs. rose 2 to 67.

In Trading, etc., Burke Pref. rose 2s. 6d. to 70s., and the Debs. ¼ to 7⅞. Drummond Pref. closed sellers at 52s., or 6d. under last price. Alex. Thom Pref. rose 5s. to 55s., and the Ord. were still ineffectually bid for at 20s., against 16s., last business done level. Hibernian Fire remain at 4s., and Irish Times 1st Pref. at 60s., but the 2nd Pref. rose 2d. to 13s.

AFTER HOURS.

Bidding for Guinness Ord. for the new account carried the price to 51⅛.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

5% War Loan	Johnston Mooney Pref.
(101⅛) 101¼ "	(77/6) 77/6
4% War Loan (101⅛) 101	Todd Deb......(70/-) 70/-
Victory Bonds (94⅞) 94⅞	Bleachers ....(50/3) 50/3
Conver. Loan..(81⅝) 81½	Brad. Dy.(59/9) 59/6 59/-
5½% Treas. Bonds...104⅛	Calicos...(26/9) 26/9 26/3
War Bonds, 1928..106⅛	Coats ....(69/-) 69/6
War Bonds, 1929..106⅜	Do. B Pref...(25/-) 25/6
Guar Land.....(62½) 62¼	Cottons..(50/-) 50/3 50/6
2¾% Land Stock.......63¼	Courtaulds ..(73/3) 72/9
India 3½% 70⅞	Spinners ....(51/9) 51/9
Bank Ireland.(240) 242c	2/6 *3/-
Hibernian ......(7⅞) *7⅞	Do. Pref...(19/-) 19/10½
Mun. & Lein.......(7⅞) 8	B.A.T...(94/10½) 94/9 5/-
National ......(21¼) 21 1¼	Do. Pref.(20/4½) 20/1½a
Dublin Dist. Pref.	Imp. Tob...(87/7½) 87/-
(77/6) *79/-	7/1½ 7/3 7/6
Guinness ..(49½) 50¼ ⅜	Do. Canada.(26/9) 26/9
⅞ ¾ ⅝ ⅞ ¾ ⅞	Lever 7% ....(23/3) 23/-
Do. Pref......(12⅛) 12⅛	Do. 8% ......(21/9) 21/9
Power Pref.(19/10½) 20/-	Vickers ....(16/7½) 15/7½
City Steam..(134½) 136⅞	Do. Tax Free Pf.17/10½
G.N. Ord.........(68) 67½	White Ton kins
Do. Pref. 63b	(25/6) 25/6
Do. Guar...............(65) 70	Burke Pref...(67/6) *70/-
Do. Deb.............(79) 80a	Do. Deb...........(7¼) 7⅞
G.S.W. Ord...(51) 50 49½	Findlater Pf.(52/6) 52/-a
Do. Pref.....(59½) *57⅞	Thom Pref.....................55/-
Do. Deb........(72½) 73½	Hibernian Fire..(4/-) *4/-
M.G.W. Ord.........(33) 33¼	Irish Times 5½%
Do. 4% Pref...(47) 50b	(60/-) 60/-
D.S.E. Guar......(59½) 62a	Do. 6½% ..(12/10) *13/-
Do. A Deb.(62) 62b 64a	Assd. Port. Cement..24/9
Ballinrobe 6% (57/3) *60/-	Foster (M. B.)
West Clare...(85/-) 87/6	(28/3) 27/9
Anglo-Arg. Tram 4½%	Harrods 39/9
Deb. 77 1/16	Platt Bros. 43/9
Dublin Trams.....(7⅛) 7⅛	Radio Com...(16/6) 16/3
Do. Pref......(10¼) 10½	Do. Pref....(15/6) 15/3
Do. B Deb.......(66⅞) 67	Mex. Eagle....(37/6) 38/-
Parent Pref..(14/6) 14/3	8/3
Dunlops..(9/9) 9/9 9/10½	Shells ....(65/-) *84/6
Alliance Gas Deb.(65) 67	

*Odd lot; b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	4 p.c.	13th July.
Deposit	1½ p.c.	15th June.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day		May 14
General contango day	April 30	May 15
Ticket day	May 2	May 16
Account day	May 3	May 17

BELFAST.

The Exchange closed the week with a fair amount of business. War Loan dealt in at 101 1/16-101 3/16, Conversion Loan 81 5/16-81⅜. Westminster Bank 18¼. Belfast Corporation 3½ per cent. brought 84. Belfast and Co. Down 4 per cent. Pref. repeated 79; Great Northern Railway Stock unchanged at 68. York Street Flax Spinning Co. Ord. firm at 32; the 7 per cent. Pref. firm at 23s., and the 4½ per cent. Debs. repeated 88. Irish Distillery 6 per cent Pref. unchanged at 8¼. John Arnott and Co. 35s., Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson 7¼; Fairbairn, Lawson, Combe, Barbour repeated 27s.; British-American Tobacco Ord. 95s.; Imperial Tobacco lower at 87s. 9d. Union Cold Storage 6 per cent. Pref. closed 21s. 7½d. Lever Bros. 7 per cent. Pref. repeated 23s. 3d.; the 8 per cent. Pref. brought 21s. 9d., White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. 26s., Workman Clark and Co. Debs. 89, and Gas Light and Coke 100.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

A feature in the Foreign Railway Market the last day or two has been the sharp rise in the Ord. Stock of the San Paulo Railway, the price of which has been run up to 149. Earlier in the year the quotation stood at but little more than 118, while at one time last year the stock was changing hands at 105. As the present price includes the 5 per cent. dividend shortly to be paid, the yield from the past year's tax free distribution of 7½ per cent. is £7 gross, reckoning tax at 5/- in the £. The low Brazilian exchange is operating against the company at the moment but the higher tariffs now in force are helping matters, and to date this year sterling traffic receipts show an improvement of £31,158. As this represents the results from only 15 weeks, and is probably all net gain, the outlook for the shareholders is regarded as promising.

At a meeting yesterday of the Board of the London, Midland, and Scottish Railway Co., it was decided not to split the company's Ordinary Stock into Preferred and Deferred Stock.

Letters of acceptance and regret in connection with the issue of Los Nitrate Company's £500,000 of 6½ p.c. Debs. were posted yesterday (Friday) evening.

SUBDUED STOCKS.

SOME PROFIT-TAKING.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Yesterday being the closing day of the market week and also of the general fortnightly account, coupled with the fact that next Tuesday is a Stock Exchange holiday, business in consequence was more restricted, and in all departments the tone was subdued. The easier tendency of the gilt-edged market was due chiefly to profit-taking, and a fairly large amount of stock came out. With few exceptions quotations ruled lower, although prices generally closed above the worst. In Home Funds Consols exceptionally were a trifle harder, while in India Stocks quotations where changed moved upwards. Colonials betrayed signs of a slightly easier tendency.

LONDON STOCKS QUIET.

AN EASIER TONE.

The Stock Markets were rather subdued in tone, in consequence of the virtual termination of the account yesterday, seeing the commencement of the carry-over was taking place in the Mining market. A somewhat easier tone prevailed in consequence, though the close was brighter in places. Among gilt-edged securities, British Funds were somewhat reactionary. The 3½ p.c. War Loan rose ⅛ to 95⅞, but the Funding Loan, which was x.d., fell ⅛ to 93; Victory Bonds also lost ⅛ at 94⅛. The Conversion Loan fell ⅜ to 81. Local Loans lost ⅛ at 69¼.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were influenced by the prevailing tone. French Loans, however, were steady and unchanged; Brazils were heavy.

HOME RAILS were little dealt in, and prices, with the exception of Underground Electric Income Bonds, which were 1 higher at 97½, were lower where they changed. London Midland and Scottish Ord. fell ½ to 117¼; Metropolitans also lost ¼ at 69, and London North-Eastern Deferred Ord. fell ⅛ to 37⅞.

In COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILWAYS "Canpacs" rose 1 to 169. Argentines were unchanged. San Paulo spurted another 3½ points to 152. Leopoldina dropped ½, and United Havana ½ to 71.

OIL SHARES SMALL.

A STEADIER MARKET.

Dealings in Oil Shares yesterday remained on a comparatively small scale, but, although during the early hours the dull conditions prevailing in the earlier days of the week remained in evidence, there were distinct signs of an improvement later, and the market finished with a steady appearance. Price movements were confined within narrow limits, and among the leaders, Shells, which were looking none too bright during the early hours, came into request in the afternoon and registered a recovery. Royal Dutch were also a harder market. Closing prices:—

1½	Agwi Petroleum	1⅛	1⅛
3½	Anglo-American	3⅝	3⅜
1½	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2⅛	2⅛ + ⅛
1½	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1½	1½ — ⅛
23/3	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	25/4½	25/10½ —0/1½
26/3	Do. 9 p.c 2nd Pref.	26/1½	26/7½ —0/1½
4⅛	Do. Ord., issued 3¼ p.c.	4½	4⅜
93½	Do. 7 p.c. Deb.	93½	94½ + ½
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅛	2⅝
1½	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	½	
	British Burmah (8/-)	⅜	⅜
12/9	British Controlled	11/9	12/0 —0/1½
18/10½	Do. Pref.	11/1 ½	12/1½ —0/1½
5½	Burmah	5⅝	5⅝
26/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/10½	27/4½ +0/1½
	Caltex	2/10½	3/1½ —0/1½
1⅛	Dacia Romano	1⅛	1⅛ + ⅛
1⅝	Eagle Transport	1⅝	1⅝
100	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	101½	102½
100	Do. Bearer	101½	102½
2/3	General Pet. Trinidad	2/0	2/3xr
1/3	Indo Burmah	0/9	1/3
20/3	Kern River (10/-)	19/1½	19 7½ +0/1½
1⅝	Lobitos	1½	1⅝ + ⅛
1⅛	Mexican Eagle	1⅛	1⅛ + ⅛
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛ + ⅛
17/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	17/9	18/3
	North Caucasian (10/-)	½	½
1/1⅞	Oilfields Egypt	1/3	1/9
4/3	Peru Syndicate	4/0	5/3
1⅛	Phoenix	1⅛	1⅜
2/6	Premier Oil	2/1½	2/7½
11/9	Roumanian Consolidated	11/9	12/3
33⅜	Royal Dutch	33⅞	33 + ⅛
2/0	Scottish American	1/7½	1/10½ +0/1½
4½	Shell Transport	4⅝	4⅝ + ⅛
9½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9½	9⅞
4/4½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24/10½	25/4½ +0/1½
3/3	Spies (10/-)	3/0	4/3 —0/3
8/6	Steaua Romana	8/6	9/0
8/0	Tankers Pref.	7/6	8/0 —0/3
1¾	Trinidad Central	1⅝	1⅝ + ⅛
1¾	Trinidad Lease	1⅝	1¾ + ⅛
	United Brit. Trinidad	1/8	
	Ural Caspian		
7/6	Uros Oil	6/6	7/0 —0/1½
3⅜	V.O.C. Holdings	3⅝	3⅞ + ⅛
2⅝	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2⅝	2⅝ + ⅛

RUBBER SHARES UNCERTAIN.

Uncertainty again returned to the Rubber Share market yesterday, and prices were inclined to irregularity. Sempah, however, gained 2s. 9d. to 20s. 3d., Sedenak rose 9d. to 17s., and Kapar Para gained 7½d. at 42s. 6d. Malacca Pref. declined 2s. 6d. to 42s. 6d., Lanadron 1s. 6d. to 22s. 6d., Sungei Way 1s. to 25s. 3d., and Bukit Rajah 10½d. to 21s. 10½d. The price of raw rubber fell to 15⅛d. per lb. Closing prices:—

M.U.			
38/6	Anglo-Dutch	38/0	
3/4½	Anglo-Java	3/3	
1⅛	Anglo-Malay	23/0	
4/10½	Bertam Cons.	5/0	
3/4½	Bukit Mertajam	3/4½	
1/10½	Bukit Sembawang	1/9	
	Danansara	17/6	
22/0	Grand Central	22/6	
2⅛	Highlands	38/0	
3/1½	Kamuning	2/10½	—0/0½
5/3	Kepong	5/3	+0/3
	Kuala Lumpur	4/9	
	Labu	32/6	
	Linggi	38/3	
4/1½	London-Asiatic	4/1	
	Malacca	47/6	
28/9	Malayalam	28.4½	
3/6	Merlimau	3/4½	
1⅛	Moopiy Valley	21/3	
2/6	Port Dickson	2/5½	
26/9	Rubber Trust	26/9	
	Seafield	18/3	—0/3
	Sendayan	37/6	
	Sialang	31/3	
21/0	Straits Rub.	21/0	+0/6
24/3	Tali Ayer	23/10½	
1⅛	Tandjong	38/3	
3/10½	Un. Serdang	3/10	
3⅛	United Sua Betong	78/3	
14/6	Vallambrosa	14/0	—0/3

Anglo-Sum.....35/0		N.Hummock..20/9	
Bah Lias........33/9		P.P.K.(C'yl'n)2/10½	+0/4½
Batu Tiga.......35/0		Pataling.........22/0	
B.N.B.R.Trst 7/6		Pilmoor..........21/3	
Brieh..............2/0		Rim Malacca...3 0	
Bukit Cloh....5/1½*	+0/1½	Rub.E.Johore 27/1½	
Bukit Rajah 21/10½	—0/10½	Sapong...........28 9	
Castlefield.....4/4½		Sapumalk'de. 23/6	
Cheviot 2/3½		Selangor 5/9*	
Cicely 5/11½		SerdangC'nt'l 25/0	
Eastern Trust 19/9	—0/9	Scomber Aloe. 1/11½	
Gen. Ceylon..36/6*		Strathmore ...12/9	+0/6
Glenbervie ...35/6		Sumatra Con. 24/9	
Golden Hope 26/3		Sungei Buaya.31/0	
Java Amal....29/0		Sungei Choh...20 0	
Kapar Para....42/6	+0/7½	Sungei Kapar..4/9	
Kasintoe........20/0		Sungei Kr. Pf.45/0	
Kepitigalla.....11/6		Talping..........1/9½	
Kombok..........2/11		Tebrau 33/0	
Langkat Sum 24/3		Telogoredjo ...45.0	—0/6
Ledbury 23/1½		Tempeh 1/1	
Mansf'ld N.B.21/3		Un. Temiang...2/10½	
Membakut 13/6		Yam Seng........3/4½	

*Ex Div. †Ex Rights.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market busier and slightly firmer. Rovers and Humbers maintained. B.T.D. Preferred recovered to 12/-. Dunlops and Parents better. Austins, 2/6; Belsize, 4/3; Bluemels, 39/6; Components, 6/6; B.T.D., 8/7½; Enfields, 33/9; Humbers, 25/6; Rolls, 30/-; Rovers, 22/4½; Singers, 24/-; Standards, 40/-; Swifts, 11/9; Triumphs, 37/-; Vauxhalls, 8/7½; Dunlops, 9/7½; Parent Deferred, 27/6; Harper Bean, 1/9.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles become more active, and finish strong. Bleachers, 49/6-50/-; do. Pref., 22/-22/6; Calicos, 26/-26/6; do. Pref., 17/-17/6; Dyers, 58/6-59/6; do. Pref., 19/9-20/-; Cottons, 50/-50/6; do. Pref., 19/9-20/3; Finneras, 52/-52/5; do. Pref., 20/-20/6; "Slubbers," 13/3-13/6; Coats, 69/-69/6; Ship Canal, 8⅛-⅛; do. Pref., 8-8⅛; Velvets, 28/3-28/6.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 13⅞, £15 3/-, £15 13/3, 13; do. New, 14⅛, £14 ⅛, 14⅛, 14⅛; British General, 30/6, 2/9, 1/9, 6d., 5/-, 3/6⅛; Commercial Union, £39 3/-, 39⅛, ⅛, 8⅛; Eagle Star, 14⅛, £15 1/6, 15⅛; Employers' Liability, 89/6, 9d., 90/-, 1/-, 90/6, 90/-; General Accident, 6⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Motor Union, 6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Royal Exchange, 454, 61⅛, ⅛; World Auxiliary, 17/6, 18/3, 18/-, 17/9, 18/3; Prudential, 18⅛, £15 7/-, £15 9/-, £15 7/-; do. "B," 21/-, 20/9, 1½d., 6d., 2/- 3d., 1/9, 2/6.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance, 13⅛; ditto New, 14⅛, ⅛; Atlas Assurance, x.d., 17⅛; Caledonian Insurance, 60, 60; Commercial Union, 39⅛, ⅛, 9, ⅛; Employers' Liability, 89/3 7½d., 6d., 3d., 7½d., 9d., 10½d.; General Accident, Fire, and Life, 6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Guardian Assurance, 6⅛; London and Lancashire, 16⅛, ⅛; ditto 5 p.c. Law Union, 100⅛; London and Scottish, 98/1⅛, 9d., 100/-; London Assurance, 9⅛; Motor Union, 8⅛, ⅛; North British and Mercantile, £15 1/7⅛, 1/3; ditto 4 p.c. Pref. Stock, 81; Northern Assurance, 16⅛, ⅛; Royal Exchange Assurance, 461; Royal Insurance, 24⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Scottish Union and National Insurance, 5⅛; Sun Insurance, 18⅛; Yorkshire, 10⅛.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	59⅛-60	3½% Treas.B.	104⅛-105⅛
War Ln. 3½%	95⅛-96+ ¼	Irish Lnd 2¾%	62¾-63⅜
do. 4½%	98-99*	India 3½%	69-61
do. 5%	101⅛-101⅛*	do. 3%	70-71
do. 4%	101⅛-101⅛	do. 5½%	103⅛-103⅛
Fund'g L'n 4%	93⅛-93⅞* — ⅛	do. 7%	119-121
Victory Bds.	94⅛-94⅞ — ⅛	Local Loans	69-69⅛ — ⅛
3½% Conv.Ln.	80⅞-81⅛ — ⅛		

BRITISH RAILS.

16¾	Caledonian Def. Ord.	15¾	16¾	
116	Do. Western	116	117	
118	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	117	118	— ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	84	86	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	99	101	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	97	100	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	84	86	
87¾	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	86½	87¾	
38¾	Do. Def. Ord.	37¾	38	— ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	84	86	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	83¾	84¾	
69¼	Metropolitan	68¾	69¼	— ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	102	105	
26¾	Do. District	26	28	
41	Southern Ord. "A"	39	40	
14¾	Do. "B"	14	15	
87	Do. Pref. Ord.	87	88	
42	Do. Def. Ord.	42	43	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	104	106	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf.1924	97	100	
3⅛	Underground Electric	3⅛	3⅛	
97	Do. Income Bonds	96	98	+1
101	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	100	101	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	108	110	
—	Baltimore	35	37	
—	Chesapeake	74	76	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	24	26	
13	Erie	12	13	
—	Do. Pref.	19	21	
—	Missouri	8	10	
—	New York, Ontario	19	21	
34	Southern Common	33	35	
—	Do. Pref.	71	73	
—	Southern Pacific	99	101	+2
—	Union Pacific	147	150	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

83	Antofagasta	85	87	
—	Argentine G W Ord.	81¾	83¾	
—	Bahia Blanc.	83	85	
—	Brazil Railway Common	¾	1¼	
88	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	90	92	
85	Buen. Ayres and Pacific	86	88	
85	Buenos Ayres and W.	87	89	
164	Canadian Pacific	168	170	+1
75	Central Argentine	76	78	
43	Central Uruguay	42	44	
—	Entre Rios	23½	25½	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	71	73*	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	82	84	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	75	78	
32	Leopoldina	31	33	— ½
13¾	Mexican Rails	13½	14½	
42	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	41	43	
27	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	25	27	
—	Mexican Nat 1st Pref.	8	10	
3¾	Mexican Nat 2nd Pref.	3½	4½	
137½	San Paulo Ord.	150	154	+3½
73	United Havana	70	72	— ½

TELEGRAPHS.

27¾	Anglo-American Def.	22⅛	22⅞	
7⅛	Marconi Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
2⅛	Do. Pref.	2⅛	2⅛	
1⅛	Do. Marine	1⅛	1⅛	
10/6	Do. Canada	9/4½	9/10½	— 0/4½
16/6	Radio Corporation	15/6	16/6	
15 6	Do. Pref.	15/0	15/6	

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	⅛	⅛	— ⅛
33/6	Aerated Bread	1⅛	1⅛	
21¼	Alianza	22	23	
7/6	Allsopp £1 Shares	7/6	10/0	
14	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	59	61	
12/0	Amalgamated Cotton	11/9	12/0	
3⅛	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref	3⅛	3⅜	
2⅛	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	2⅛	3⅛	
2⅛	Do. Pref.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
9/6	Argentine Northern Land	[illegible]	[illegible]	
23/0	Do. Southern Land	[illegible]	[illegible]	
18/9	Armstrong (W. G.)	18/6	19/6*	
25/0	Associated Cement	24/0	25/3*	
18/0	Do. Pref.	18/6	16/3	
—	Bartholomay Pref.	1	1½	
35/0	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
92	Do. Pref.	87	90	
38/6	Borax Con. Def.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	British Glass	2⅛	2⅛	
39/3	British Portland Cement	1⅛	34/6	— 1/3
11/9	B.S.A.	12/9	13/0	
29/6	British Oil and Cake	1⅛	1⅛	
42/3	Brunner Mond	43/0	45/0	
12/3	B.N.B. Land	1⅛	1⅛	
34	Brazilian Traction	53	55	
78	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	77	80	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	88	90*	
45/0	Bryant and May	1⅛	1⅛	
49/0	Bleachers	2⅛	2⅛	
96/0	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	94/6	95/0	
57/0	Bradford Dyers	2⅛	2⅛	
25/9	Calico Printers	26/0	26/6	
17/0	Cammell Laird	16/0	17/0	
17/6	Cargo Fleet	20 0	21 3	
67/0	Coats	[illegible]	[illegible]	
69/0	Courtaulds	[illegible]	[illegible]	
—	Court Line	[illegible]	[illegible]	
5/3	Crosse and Blackwell	4/6	5/6	
—	Cunard Ord.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
—	De La Rue Deb.	83	85	
9/4½	Dunlop Rubber	9/3	10/3	+0/3
108	Do. Deb.	105	108	
17/6	Dorman Long	17/6	18/6	
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf	20/0	20/3	
—	English Electric	12/3	18 9	+0/3
48.0	English Sewing Cotton	2⅛	2⅛	
48.0	Fine Spinners	2⅛	2⅛	
19/3	Forestal Land	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Furness Withy	1⅛	1⅛	
—	General Electric Deb.	104	106	
445	Guinness	490	510	+5
—	Do. Pref.	117	122	
—	Gramophone Ord.	2⅛	2⅛	
17/6	Harrods	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Hoyle Deb.	104	106	
—	Hudson's Bay Ord.	7⅛	7⅛	
87/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	85/0	88/0	
—	Do. Brown	32/0	32/0	+1/0
14/6	Do. (15/- paid)	13/6	14/0	
29	Lipton	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Lyons (J.)	2⅛	2⅛	
4⅛	Lautaro Nitrate	4⅛	4⅛	
22/4½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	22/0	23/6	
—	Do. Debs.	98	101	
2	Lagunas Nitrate	21/0	22/0	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Liver Ord.	2⅛	2⅛	
29/9	Liverpool Nitrate	1⅛	1⅛	
4⅛	London Nitrate	4⅛	4⅛	
45/0	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Maypole Def.	1⅛	1⅛	
7/7⅛	Mond Nickel Pref.	20/0	22/1½	
—	Mexican Trams	8	10	
40	Do. Bonds	40	45	
81	Do. L and P. Bonds	78	82	
—	Niger Pref.	19/6	20/6	
19/9	Nobel Ord.	19/9	20/0	
19/6	Do. Pref.	19/3	20 6	
—	Do. Def.	1⅛	1⅛	
1⅛	Parent Tyre Def.	1	1½	+ ⅛
16/3	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
19/0	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1⅛	
—	P. and O. Def.	335	340	
8/0	Pekin Syndicate	1⅛	1⅛	
43/9	Platt Bros. Ord.	42/6	43 6	— 0/6
—	Royal Mail Ord.	94	96	
12/6	Rio Negro Lands	12/6	13/6	
18/0	Rolls Royce	1⅛	1⅛	
31/0	Rosario Nitrate	32/0	33 0	+0/6
29.9	Salt Union	1⅛	1⅛	
55.0	South Durham Steel	1⅛	1⅛	
95	San Paulo Tram Deb.	94½	96	
32/0	South Africa Breweries	1⅛	1⅛	
21	Shawinigan Water Bonds	105	110	
21/0	Santa Rita Nitrate	33/0	25/0	
2⅛	Santiago Nitrate	2⅛	2⅛	
2⅛	Salar del Carmen	1	3⅛	
21/6	Siemens	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	1⅛	1⅛	
16/3	Tarapaca Nitrate	16/0	17/0	
—	United Cold Storage	2⅛	2⅛	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅛	
11/0	United Steel	11/6	12/6	
15/0	Vickers Ord.	15/9	16/0	— 0/3
25/6	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	+ ⅛
—	Wearside C.F.O.	1⅛	1⅛	

TEA SHARES.

Anglo Ceylon Estates, 54/3-6d.; Dooars, 58/3+6d.; Empire, 46/6-6d.; Imperial Ord., 29/-9d.; Jetinga Valley, 32/9+1/9; Jokai, £34-1/4; Jorehaut, 54/7½d.+7½d.; Lungla, 17/3-9d.

*Ex div. †Ex bonus ‡Ex rights.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ROYAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA.—Dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

CITY FIRE OFFICE.—Dividend of 15 per cent., making 20 per cent., and bonus of 5 per cent.

EAST INDIA AND CEYLON TEA.—Dividend of 15 per cent. on Ord.

DALGETY AND CO.—Interim dividend of 5/- a share, free of tax.

AFRICAN STEAMSHIP.—Dividend of 4½ per cent., making 7 per cent. for the year.

PERNAMBANG RUBBER.—Interim dividend for current year of 2½ per cent.

PIONEER LIFE ASSURANCE.—Dividend for year ended 31st March last of 1/- per share, equal to 6¼ per cent., against 5 per cent. last year.

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE.—Dividend for current year at 10/6 per annum per share, payable May 15th and November 15th next.

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAYS.—Interim dividend of 2 per cent., in addition to guaranteed dividend of 1½ per cent., making 3½ per cent. for the half-year.

EGYPTIAN MARKETS.—Final dividend of 5 per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year ended 31st December, 1922 on the Ord. Shares.

VICKERS, LTD.—Dividend for the year, 1922, at rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on the Ordinary Shares. For 1921 the Ordinary Shares received 5 per cent., but for 1920 only the Preference dividend was paid.

OCEANIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD (WHITE STAR LINE)—The report of the directors for the year ended December 31st last, states that the accounts show a profit of £1,250,134, which, with interest on investments and transfer fees amounting to £198,764, make a total of £1,448,899. After deducting Debenture and general interest and directors' fees and writing off depreciation, there remains a balance of £587,085. To this must be added the balance of £100,445, brought forward from 1921, making a total to credit of profit and loss account of £687,531. Dividends amounting to £625,000, equivalent to 12½ per cent. on the capital of the company, have been paid, leaving a balance to be carried forward of £57,551. The balance of first series Debentures outstanding at 13th June last was paid off, and there have also been redeemed by purchase during the year Debentures of the second series to the value of £51,500, making the total amount redeemed to 31st December last of £1,301,500. As anticipated in last year's report, the company has suffered considerable diminution in its earnings, owing to the restrictions placed on immigration by the U.S. Government, which has resulted in a remarkable shrinkage in the third class westbound carryings during the year. The directors propose to have the ss. Homeric converted to an oil burner, and she will proceed in the autumn to the Belfast yard of Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., to have the necessary work carried out. Upon completion of this work the Southampton-New York mail service will be entirely operated by oil-burning vessels. The several services of the company have been carried on with efficiency and the steamers maintained in excellent condition. The freight situation has shown some improvement on the previous year and the outlook is less depressing.

Morgan Davies, one of the men injured in the Trinisaran Colliery disaster on Thursday, died at Llanelly Hospital yesterday morning. This brings the death-roll to nine.

LONDON MINING MARKET HARDER.

RISE IN KAFFIRS.

As might have been expected from the nature of dealings during the account, the settlement in Mines was arranged with ease yesterday, and rates were again low. The majority of Kaffirs were continued at 5 to 6 p.c., but in the case of Diamonds the charges were infinitesimal, accommodation being usually obtainable at "even." Miscellaneous descriptions were mostly continued at about 5 to 6 p.c., but Associated Keeley and San Francisco commanded 6 to 7 p.c. The hardening tendency noticeable on the preceding day was again in evidence, and as regards Kaffirs the change for the better was said to be due to the receipt of more favourable political news from the other side. This was, no doubt, responsible for the further Cape demand, and, as Paris was not a seller, quotations again moved ahead. The lead was taken by Central Mining, which were bought both firm and on option, and jumped up no less than ⅜, while Rand Mines, Crown Mines, Modderfontein, Geduld, and many others were distinctly better, thus imparting a strong tone to the whole department. In the Rhodesian section Chartered recovered sharply, but the feature was the steady advance in Cam and Motor on reported good developments. Selukwe remained very firm on the publication of the report of the proceedings at the meeting. Diamonds generally were quiet, but Angela moved up in turn. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.			
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1⅛	
18 9	Anglo-French	18 6 19/6	
3⅛	Brakpan	3⅛-3⅛	
10	Cent. Mining (£8)	10⅛-1⅛	+ ⅛
2⅛	City Deep	2⅛-2⅛	+ ⅛
20/0	Con. Goldfields	19/3-19/3	+0/3
13/6	Cons. Langlaagte	12 6-13/6	
9/9	Cons. Main Reef	10 0-10/6	+0/3
16/3	Cons. Seloc. (10/-)	16 0-17/0	
2⅛	Crown Mines (10/-)	2⅛-2⅛	+ ⅛
8/6	E. Rand Mining	1⅛-1⅛	
5/6	E. Rand Prop.	5⅛ 5/10⅛	+1/3
3⅛	Geduld	3⅛-3⅛	
14/3	Gen. Mining	14 0-14/3	
5⅛	Government Areas	5⅛-5⅛	+ ⅛
12 9	H.E. Prop.	12/9-13/3	
30/0	Johan'burg Invest	30 0-31/6	
3⅛	Kleinfontein	4 6-5/0	
5/7⅛	Knight Central	5 6-6/0	
15/3	Knight's	14/-15/0	
20 0	Langlaagte Estate	19/9 20 9	
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅛	+ ⅛
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/-)	3⅛-4⅛	+ ⅛
1⅛	Modder B (5/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/-)	2⅛-2⅛	
7 0	Modder East	6 9-7/3	
1⅛	New State Areas	1⅛-1⅛	
9 0	Nigel	8 6-9/0	
15 6	Nourse Mines	15 6 16 0	+0/3
2⅛	Rand Mines (5/-)	2⅛-2⅛	+ ⅛
21/6	Randfontein	21/3-21/9	
13 6	do. Central	13/6-14/0	
1⅛	Rob'son Dp. A (1/-)	1⅛-1⅛	+ ⅛
11/3	Robinson Dp. B	11/3-11/9	+0/3
11/6	Rose Deep	12/0-12/6	+0/3
5⅛	S.A. Gold Trust	14/6-15/6	
2⅛	Springs Mines	2⅛-2⅛	
10/0	Sub Nigel	10/0-10/6	
2⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	2⅛-2⅛	
16/9	Trans-Con. L. (15/-)	15/9-16/9	
31 3	Union Corp. (12/6)	31/0-31/6	+0/3
15.0	Van Ryn	14 9-15/9	
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3⅛	+ ⅛
20 0	Vereeniging	19/6-20/6	
13 0	Village Deep	13/6-14/6	
19 0	West Springs	18 6-19/6	+0/3
16/0	Witwatersrand Deep	15/6-16/6	—1/3

RUSSIAN.

7 7⅛	RussoAsiat.Cons.	7/9-8/3	+0/6
2/6	Russian Mining	3/0-4/0	
1⅛	Siberian Props.	9/0-10/0	
⅛	Spassky	⅛-⅛	

RHODESIAN.

M.U.			
7/6	Bechuanaland Ex.	7/0-7/6	
2⅛	Cam and Motor	2⅛-2⅛	+ ⅛
13 6	Charter'd B.S.A.	13 4⅛-13/7⅛	+0 6
8/0	Falcon	7 9-8/3	
16 0	Gaika Gold	16/0-17/0	+1/6
15/0	Globe & Phoenix (5/-)	15/9-16/3	
7 0	Gold F. Rho. (10/-)	6/9-7/3	
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1⅛	
3⅛	Rezende	3⅛-3⅛	
5 3	R. Broken Hill (5/-)	5/0-5/3	
1⅛	Selukwe	1⅛-1⅛	+ ⅛
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅛	+ ⅛
20/6	Tanganyika	20/3-20/9	
2⅛	Vic. Falls Ord.	27/0-28/0	
1⅛	do. Pref.	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Wankie Col. (10/-)	14/0-15/0	
13/0	Zambesia Explor.	12/9-13/3	
—	Zambesia Min. D.	14/3-14/9	

DIAMOND.

25/6	Con. D. S. W. A.	25/0-25/0	
15⅛	De Beers (£2½)	15⅛-15⅛	
13⅛	do. Pref.	13⅛-13⅛	
3⅛	Jagersfontein	3⅛-4	
1⅛	N. Val River	1⅛-1⅛	
7⅛	Premier Pf. (2/-)	7⅛ 7⅛	

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅛	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1⅛	
15 0	Associated	14 9-15 9	+0/3
1⅛	Brit. Broken Hill	1⅛-1⅛	
31/3	Broken Hill Prop.	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	B. Hill Sth. (New)	2⅛-2⅛	
5⅛	B. Hill, Block 10	3/6-4/0	
3/9	Great Boulder (2/-)	3/6-4/0	
1⅛	Ivanhoe	1⅛-1⅛	
13/3	Lake View (10/-)	13/0-14/0	
2⅛	North Broken Hill	2⅛-2⅛	
1⅛	Sulphide Ord.	22.0-23/0	—1/3
13/3	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	12/6-13/6	
42 6	do. Pref.	2⅛-2⅛	

WEST AFRICAN.

1⅛	Akim	1⅛-1⅛	
9/3	Ashanti Gold (4/-)	9/0-9/6	
13.0	Fanti Cons. (8/-)	12/9-13/3	
17/0	Gold Coast Amal.	16/9-17/3	
8/6	Obuasai	8/0-9/0	
4/6	Taquah Explor.	5/0-5/6	

TIN.

M.U.			
16/6	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	16/3-16/9	
3⅛	Aramayo Francke	3⅛-3⅛	
5/3	East Pool (5/-)	5/0-5/6	
—	Gopeng	1⅛-1⅛	
15/6	Ipoh	15/0-16/0	
1⅛	Kinta	35/0-36/6	
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Malayan T.D.	1⅛-1⅛	
13 9	Mongu	12/6-14/0	
—	Naraguta	1⅛-1⅛	
2/6	Nigerian Tin (5/-)	2/3-2/9	
1⅛	Pahang (5/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅛	
—	Renong	1⅛-1⅛	
10 7⅛	Ropp (4/-Shares)	10/3-10/9	
3⅛	Siamese	3⅛-3⅛	
6/3	South Bukeru	6/0-7/0	
1⅛	Tronoh	1⅛-1⅛	

COPPER.

1⅛	Arizona (5/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
4/6	Mount Elliott (£5)	1⅛-1⅛	
15 0	Mount Morgan	14/6-15/6	
23/6	Mount Lyell	23/0-24/0	
—	Namaqua	2-2⅛	
15 9	New Guinea	15/9-16/3	
4⅛	Rio Tinto (£5)	40⅛-40⅛	— ⅛
18 6	S. American (2/-)	18/3-19 3	

MISCELLANEOUS.

14/6	Brit. Platinum	14/0-15/0	—0/3
3/3	Burma Corp.	3/0-3/3	
4/0	Camp Bird Ord.	3/9-4/3	
4/6	Chemical and Met.	4/3-4/9	
5/6	Colombian Mining	5/3-5/9	
—	Colombian Props	19/6-2/6	
9/3	El Oro	9/6-10 0	+0/3
13/0	Esperanza	13/-13/6	
16/0	Kirkland Lake	15/6-16/0	
1⅛	Mexico Mines	4⅛-4⅛	+ ⅛
6⅛	Minerals Separ'n	6⅛-6⅛	+ ⅛
13/0	Min. Corp. of Can	12/6-13/0	
10/3	Mysore (10/-)	10 0-11 0	+0/3
4 0	Nat. Min. (10/-pd.)	3/9-4/3	
1⅛	New Chuquitambo	1⅛-1⅛	
13/6	Ooregum	13/0-14/0	
19/3	Oroville	19 0-2/6	
15/6	Plymouth Cons	1⅛-1⅛	
10/3	St. John Del Rey	1⅛-1⅛	
19 0	San Francisco (10/-)	19/3-2/9	+0/3
9/3	Santa Gertrudis	9/3-9/9	
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅛	

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights.

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—26/7½, 5/7½. Brakpan—70/-. British South Africa—13/3, 1½d., 4½d., *12/10½, 13/4½, 6d., 4½d. Broken Hill Prop.—8/2½, 3½d., 3d. Burma Corp.—10⅛, ⅛, 10, ⅛, ⅛, 11-64, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. City Deep—51/10½, 2/6. Colombian Mining—5/6, 3d., 3½d. Consol. Diamond Mines S.W. Africa—25/4½, 3½d. Consol. Gold Fields—19/4½, 4½d. 10½d., 20/-, *19/1½. Consol. Main Reef—10/-, 9/10½, 10/0½, 9/9. Crown Mines—53/1½. De Beers Def.—15⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Durban Rood. Deep—16/9, 3d., 6d., 4½d. East Rand Prop.—5/9, 7½d., 6d., *1½d., 4½d. Esperanza—13/-, 4½d. Fanti Consols—13/0½, 12/11½, 9d. Geduld—62/6, 3/1½, 4/4½, *1/6. General Mining—*13/9, 14/6, 1½d., 3d. Government Areas—5½, ⅛. Johannesburg Invest.—30/6, 3½d., 3d., *30/-, 3d. Langlaagte—19/6. Minerals Separation—£6 4/6. Modderfontein B (5/- shares)—23/9, *4/4½. Modderfontein East—*7/7½, 6/10½, 7/-, 6d. Mount Lyell—*4/-. New Modderfontein—79/4½, 80/-. New State Areas—38/1½, 9d. Nourse—15/7½, 9d. Ooregum—13/3. Rand Mines—56/3, 6, 7½d., 11½d., 3½d., 8/-. Randfontein Central—*12/3, 13/9, 10½d. Randfontein Estates—21/9, 4½d., 3d., 6d., 9d. Robinson A—*34/0½, 3/9.; do. B—11/6, 7½d., 3d., 9d., 10/9, 11/7½. Russo-Asiatic—*7/9, 10½d., 11½d., 6d., 9d. Selukwe Gold—26/3, 7/6, 8/1½, 7/9½, 6/10½, *5/11½, 6/3, 7/7½. Springs—50/-. Tanganyika—20/3, *7/9, *20/-, 8/1½. Union Corporation—31/3, 4½d. Van Ryn Deep—68/9, 6/10½. Village Deep—13/4½, 3d. Zinc Corp.—13/-, 3d.

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DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—60, 59⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 3½ p.c. War Loan—95⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 4½ p.c. War Loan (x.d.)—98⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 5 p.c. War Loan (x.d.)—101⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. 4 p.c. War Loan—101⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Funding Loan (x.d.)—93⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3. Victory Bonds—94⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Conversion Loan—81⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 80⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 81⅛, 80⅛. India 7 p.c. Loan—119⅛, 20, ⅛, ⅛, 19⅛. India 4½ p.c. (x.d.)—*92⅛, 90⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *2⅛, 90⅛. Australia 6 p.c. Stock—105⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. 5 p.c. Stock—105⅛, ⅛, ⅛. South Africa 6 p.c.—104⅛, ⅛, ⅛. African and Eastern—43/4½, 4½d. 7½d., *4/-, 3/3, 7½d., *10½d., 6d., 7½d. Agwi Petroleum—22/9⅛, 4/4½, 3/9, 1½d., 9d. Amalgamated Cotton—11/10½, 12/-, 11/9, 10½d., 12/-. Anglo-Dutch Rubber—37/10½, 9d., 8/3. Anglo-Ecuadorian Oil—40/-, 39/4½, 9d., 40/3½, *39/9, 41/-, 3d., *40/-, 9d. Anglo-Egyptian "B"—31/3, 6½d. Anglo-Persian Oil—22/6, 1/3; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—25/6, 10½d., 11½d., 7½d., 9½d. Armstrong—19/3, 1½d., 4½d., 4½d.; do. Assoc. Cement (x.d.)—*25/4½, 4/9, 7½d., 10½d., 5/-, 3d., 4½d., 7½d. Assoc. Newspapers Def.—7⅛, ⅛, ⅛. ⅛, ⅛, £7 1/6, 7, ⅛. Baldwins Ord.—25/6, 3d., 4½d., 5/3, 1½d., 3/-, 6d., ⅛, 3/4½, 4/6, 3d. Barclays Bank "A"—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, 8⅛, 8; do. "B"—65/9, 10½d., 1½d., 2/-. Bovril Def.—22/9, 6d., 4½d. 9/-. Brazilian Traction—54, 1, 8, ⅛, ⅛. British-American Tobacco—95/6, 4/7½, 5/3, 4/6, 8½d., 4½d., 5/1½, 4½d. British Controlled Oil—11/10½, 12/-, 11/9; do. Pref.—12/-, 3d., 1½d., *12/-, 11/10½, 9d., 11d. British Oil and Cake—31/4½, 10½d., 6d., 3d., 6d. British Overseas Bank—5⅛. Brunner Mond—42/9, 3/1½, 3d., 2/10½, 7/9½, 6/10½. Bryant and May—47/6, 9d. B.S.A.—12/9, 6d., 9d. Buenos Ayres Central 2nd Debs.—71, ⅛, ⅛. Buenos Ayres Great Southern—90⅛, 1, 90⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Buenos Ayres Western Ord. 87⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Buenos Ayres Pacific—87⅛, 8, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 6, ⅛, ⅛, 6. Burmah Oil—86⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, 5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Caledonian Def. Ord.—15⅛, 16⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 16, 15⅛, 16⅛. Calico Printers—26/4½, 5/10½, 6/6, 6/-. Canadian Pacific—168⅛, ⅛, 8, 7⅛, 8⅛. Central Argentine Cons.—76⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Coats—69/3, 1½d., 9/-, 8/9, *6d., 9/-. Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.—22/4½, 6d., 2/-, 4½d., 1/10½, 2/1½, 3d.; do. Part. Pref.—20/3, 1½d., 20/-, 19/10½, 3/3. Cory (Wm.)—56/3, 6/-, 5/-, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 3/3. Courtaulds—72/4½, 7½d., 3d., 1½d., 2/6, 7½d., 9½d., 2/-, 10½d., 3/-, 2/6d. Crosse and Blackwell—4/6½, 9d. Crossee and Winkworth Pref.—19/6, 3d., 9d. 6d. Cunard Ord.—22/4½, 2/-, 19/10½, 11½d., 9d., 7½d., *1/6, 2/9, 4½d.; do. Debs.—106⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Dunlop Ord.—9/10½, 6d., 7½d., 9d., 11d., 10/-; do. Debs.—108⅛. Dunlop Tire America Debs.—103⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Edison Swan—4/3½, 6d., 3d., 4d., 4/-. Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.—19/7½, 6d., 4½d., 19/-, 6d. English Sewing Cotton—50/-, 1/3, 50/6. Fine Cotton Spinners—50/6, 9d., 1/6, 3d., 9d., 50/9, 2/6, 7½d., 1/6. Forestal Land—21/1½, 9d., 20/10½, 1/6, *1/-, 9d., 20/7½, 9d. General Electric Ord.—21/3, *1/-, 4½d., 1/-; do. Debs.—105⅛. Grand Central Rubber—22/6. Great Western Rail.—116⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *17, 16⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 17; do. 5 p.c. Pref.—106⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, 6⅛, 7, *6⅛. Guinness Ord.—502, 500, ⅛, 1⅛, 49, 7, 507, 8, 500, 7. Harrod's Ord.—38/9, 9/-, 1½d., 7½d., 9d., 8/9, 9/3. Hudson's Bay Ord.—7⅛, ⅛. Imperial Tea—29/-. Imperial Tobacco—88/-, 7/7½, 9d., 3d., 4½d., 1½d., *8/3, *7/6, *8/-, *6d.; do. Canada—26/6, 7½d., 9d., 4½d., 3d., *9d., 7½d. Jute Industries—8/7½, 9d., 6d., 4½d. Kern River Oil—19/4½, 19/-, 18/9, 19/3, 6d. Lever 7 p.c. Pref.—23/-, 1½d., 3/-, 2/10½, *9d., 7½d., 3/3, 2/7½; do. 8 p.c. Pref.—21/10½, 9d., 4½d., *9½d., 3d. Linggi Rubber—35/1½, 5/-, 4/9, *3/9, 6/3. Lipton Ord.—29/-, 3d., 6d. Lister Ord.—31/7½, 2/-, 1/3. Lloyds Bank—60/4½, 6d., 7½d., *3d., 9d. Lobitos Oil—6⅛, 29-64, ⅛. London Joint City Bank—8⅛, ⅛. London, Midland, and Scottish Ord.—118⅛, 18, 17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 17, ⅛. London and North-Eastern Pref Ord.—86⅛, *7, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *6⅛, ⅛; do. Def. Ord.—37⅛, *⅛, ⅛, 8, 7⅛, ⅛, *8⅛, ⅛. Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.—99/3, 100/-, 9/9, 4½d., 8/1½, 7/6; do. 7 p.c. Pref.—26/4½, 6d., 3d. Malayalam Rubber—28/3, 4½d., 9d., 7½d. Marconi Ord.—47/9, 6d., 8/3, 1½d., 7/-; do. Pref.—43/9, 6d.; do. Debs.—107, ⅛, *6⅛, ⅛; do. Marine—27/-; do. Canada—9/7½. Maypole Def.—6/10½, 7/7½, 7/1½, 6/11½, 9d. Metropolitan Rail.—69⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9. Metropolitan District—54⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Mexican Eagle Ord.—38/5½, 7/10½, 8/4½, 7/6, 8/9, *40/7½, 38/5½; do. 7 p.c. Pref.—18/1½, 17/10½, 11½d., 18/-. Mond Nickel—40/7½. Nat. Prov. Bank (£3½)—10⅛, ⅛, 10, ⅛, ⅛; do. (£4)—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £11 5/9, 11⅛, ⅛. Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.—21/1½, 1/-, 20/10½. Niger 8 p.c. Pref.—19/6. Nobel Indus.—19/6, 10½d., 7½d.; do. Pref.—20/-; do. Deferred—8/-, 1½d.; do. Debs.—100⅛, 1⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 2, ⅛, 1⅛. Peruvian Corp. Pref.—31⅛, 30⅛, ⅛, 30⅛, ⅛. Phoenix Oil—27/6, 3d., 6/3, 6d., 7/1⅛, 6/6⅛. Platt Bros. Ord.—42/9, 3/3, 6d. Radio Corp. Pref.—15/6. Rim Malacca Rubber—3/5. Royal Dutch—33⅛, ⅛, 3. Royal Mail Steam 6½ p.c. Pref.—10⅛, 10, ⅛, ⅛, 10. Rubber Trust—26/6, 7/-, 6/10⅛, *7/3, 6/4⅛, *10⅛d. Selfridge Pref. Ord.—28/10⅛, 9d., 3d., 8/-. Shell—84/8⅛, 3/9, 4/6, 3/1⅛, *1/3, *3/9, 5/-, 4/2⅛. Smithfield and Argentine—14/-, 13/6. Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.—87⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Def. Ord.—42⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛; do. Ord. "A"—*39⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; do. Ord. "B"—*14⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. Spies Petroleum—*3/6, 4/1⅛, 3/10⅛. Tankers Pref.—7/6, 10⅛d. Trinidad Central Oil—26/6⅛, 7/9, 6d. Turkish Unified—26⅛, 7, 6⅛, ⅛, *7⅛. Underground Elec.—65/-, 2/6, 3/1⅛. Underground Income Bonds—9, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7, ⅛, ⅛. United Dairies—33/-, 4½d., 9d., 4/-, 3/3, 1½d., 4½d. United Havana Rail.—70. United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.—14/-. United Serdang Rubber—3/9, 4/-, 3/11, 10½d. United Tobacco—58/6, 7½d., 9/-, 8/9. Uroz Oil—6/10½, 9d., 7/-, 2½d., 7/-. Vickers—15/3, 6d., 4½d., *15/-, 9d., *8½d. V.O.C. Holdings—46/3, 7/6, 6/6⅛, 7/2½, 6d. Walker (Peter) "B" Pref.—19/7½. Westminster Bank—18⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. White, Tomkins and Courage—26/6, 5/10½, 6d. Walker (John) (7/6 paid)—7/7½, 10½d., 9d., 8½d., 4½d., 9½d. Whiteley (Wm.)—56/6, 5/6, 6/-. Workman Clark Debs.—89⅛, 9, ⅛. Yang Tse Pref. Ord.—6/6⅛, 9d., 8½d., 7½d.

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LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN HIGHER AND COPPER LOWER.

TIN—Market firmer, though attended by irregularity, and sellers manifested more reserve. A fair business was carried through, and on balance prices are 30/- per ton higher as compared with the close of Thursday last. Cash, also three months, quoted £211 to £211 5/-, settlement price £211. Sales, 625 tons; cash done at £211 5/- to £212 5/-, then at £211, June dates £211 10/- to £212 15/-, and £211, three months £211 10/- to £212 10/-, £210 15/-, and finally £211. English ingots £211 to £211 10/-. COPPER in fair support, but with sellers to the fore prices were easier, while on balance 15/- to 17/6 under the close of Thursday last. Cash quoted £71 5/- to £71 7/6, three months £72 to £72 2/6, settlement price £71 5/-. Sales, 1,600 tons; cash at £71 15/- to £71 7/6, late May at £72 5/- to £71 15/-, June £72 15/- to £71 15/-, and three months £72 10/- to £72 12/6, and then down to £72 2/6. Electros £80 to £80 10/-. B.S. £75 to £76 10/-, S.S. £106, wire bars £80 10/-. Market for LEAD is easier. About 800 tons were disposed of; May at £25 10/- to £25 12/6, June at £25 12/6, July £25 15/- to £25 12/6, also August. SPELTER easier. Sales, 1,700 tons; May done £32 2/6 to £32 5/-, and then £32, June £32 5/-, and again at £32 5/-, July £32 5/- ...... £32 5/-, August £32 5/- per ton ...... altered. QUICKSILVER £10 ......

INDUSTRIALS QUIETER.

IRONS AND STEELS CONTINUE ACTIVE.

Except in the Iron and Steel market, where there was considerable activity, rather quieter conditions prevailed in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday. After showing a sagging tendency at the opening, prices were inclined to firm up towards the close, and there was quite a number of inquiries and some buying for the new account, which is expected to begin well. On strong rumours of amalgamation with Guest Keens, Baldwins were the feature, the shares being persistently bought. It was reported that holders of the shares would receive two Guest Keen shares for every three Baldwins held. Guest Keens recovered to 44s. 9d., and Lambert Bros. to 67s. 3d., or 1s. higher on the day. Babcocks were wanted, and improved to 90s. 7½d., and J. Brown fully-paid to 21s. Vickers were a better market at 15s. 9d. South Durhams suffered from profit-taking. Coal stocks kept firm, and Shipping issues were maintained. Interest in the Brewery section was greater, Guinness registering a recovery, and Tobaccos exhibited firmness. Textiles showed no decided tendency.

FOREIGN MAILS.

POSTING DAYS IN DUBLIN AND BELFAST.

Correspondence should be posted in time for the evening mails to England on the posting days shown below. Where a particular route is mentioned—"via Suez," for example—letters, etc., should be so marked:—

Argentina and Bolivia (South), Chile, Paraguay, and Uruguay:	
By Nelson Line	May 1
By Houlder Line	May 2
Ascension and St. Helena: Direct	May 23
Australia: Via Suez	May 2
Bahamas: Via N.Y.	April 28
Belgian Congo (excl. Katanga): By French packet	April 28
Do.: By Belgian packet	May 7
Brazil (Ceara, etc.): By Booth	April 28
Do. (Santos): By Nelson	May 1
Canada (excl. Mag. Post): Via N.Y.	April 30
Do. (Mag. Post only): Direct	May 3
Ceylon: Via Suez	May 2
Chile (Punta Arenas): By P.S.N.	May 3
China (Hong Kong and S. China): Via Suez	May 2
Do. (letters and postcards for Hong Kong and Treaty ports only): By Holt	April 30
Do. (letters and postcards for Shanghai and Treaty ports only): By Holt	April 30
Do.: Via Suez	May 2
Colombia (ex Pac. Coast), Chile, Panama, Bolivia (North), Peru, and Ecuador: Direct	May 2
Cook and Society Is.: Via San Francisco	May 3
Costa Rica: Direct	May 4
Dutch East Indies: By Dutch packet	April 28
East Africa (Kenya, Uganda, and Zanzibar): By P. and O.	May 3
Do.: By French pkt.	May 7
Ecuador: By Gulf Line	May 11
Egypt, Cyprus, and Palestine: By Dutch packet	April 28
Do.: By Italian packet	April 30
Fiji: Via Vancouver	May 14
French Congo and Senegal: By E.D.	May 3
Gambia: By E.D.	May 5
Guiana (Br., Fr., Du.): By Booker	April 28
Do.: By Dutch pkt.	May 3
India, Aden, Iraq, Persia, and Seychelles: Via Marseilles	May 2
Ivory Coast: By E.D.	May 3
Jamaica: Via N.Y.	April 30
Japan: Via N.Y.	April 28
Liberia: By E.D.	April 30
Madeira: By Union Castle	May 3
Mauritius: By French packet	May 7
Mesopotamia (Baghdad) and Persia (as far as Bushire): By Air Mail	May 2
New Zealand: Via San Francisco	April 30
Do.: Via San Francisco (Supp.)	May 3
Samoa: Via San Francisco	May 14
Sierra Leone: By E.D.	April 30
South Africa, Nyasaland, etc.: Direct	May 2
Straits Settlements (letters and postcards for Penang and Singapore only): By Holt Line	April 30
Straits Settlements, Siam, etc.: Via Suez	May 2
Tanganyika: By French packet	May 7
Do.: By P. and O.	May 9
United States: By White Star	April 30
Do.: By Cunard	May 3
Venezuela: By Dutch packet	May 3
West Coast of Africa (see also Gambia, Ivory Coast, Liberia, Sierra Leone): By E.D.	April 30
West Indies (Barbados, etc.): By Dutch packet	May 3

INWARDS.

The following mails are due in London to-day:—Canada, Newfoundland, Japan, Shanghai and North China, and Hong Kong, by ss. Montclare.

On Monday—Argentina and Brazil, by ss. Arlanza. U.S.A., Canada, Japan, Shanghai, and North China, Hong-Kong, Bermuda, Bahamas, Mexico and Central America, Jamaica, Panama and West Coast of South America, by ss. Manchuria. U.S.A., British Honduras, Mexico, and Central America, Panama and West Coast of South America, by ss. President Roosevelt. South Africa, Madeira, etc., by ss. Walmer Castle. Canada, by ss. Melita. Egypt, India, Ceylon, Straits Settlements etc., by ss. Kaisar-i-Hind. Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, and Liberia, by ss. Adda.

On Monday, 7th May—Air mail from Mesopotamia (Baghdad) and Persia (as far as Bushire).

RECENT WILLS.

Mr. Fane Vernon, J.P., D.L., of 1 Wilton place, Dublin, and Erne Hill, Belturbet, Cavan, agent for the Earl of Pembroke's Dublin property, a director and Governor in 1920 of the Bank of Ireland, formerly Chairman of the Great Northern Railway Company, and a director of the Dundalk, Newry and Greenore Railway Company, and of the City of Dublin Junction Railways, who died on February 20, at the age of 73, left personal estate in England and Ireland of the value of £19,613.

Mr. Leonard Colville Dickson McCaw, of 31 Wellesley avenue, Belfast, retired cashier, who died on February 19, left personal estate in England and Ireland value at £1,863.

Mr. Francis G. Archer O'Brien, of 30 Sidney avenue, Blackrock, Dublin, who died on February 2, left personal property in England and Ireland valued at £3,341.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

In auction, three catalogues were offered jointly, totalling 12,373 bales, and comprised 2,496 bales New South Wales and Queensland, 1,617 Victorian, 1,077 West Australian, 321 South Australian, 715 Tasmanian, 5,380 New Zealand, and 766 Cape. The above constituted a very attractive selection, and with a full attendance of buyers present, competition was carried on with animation, which resulted in a firm condition of affairs. Prices in many instances were distinctly in sellers' favour. The home trade operated with more freedom, while American interests continue to absorb the finer qualities of cross-breds, as well as the finer descrip......

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD, Friday.—Supplies: 1,149 cattle and 290 sheep. Trade slower for cattle, tendency in values being weaker. Best bullocks and heifers made 11d., exceptional quality small heifers 11½d., bulls and cows 5d. to 9d., sinking the offal. Sheep trade worse at considerably lower values.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE REPORT, Friday.—There are no fresh developments or anything of importance to note on this market; only a dribble of samples are coming in, mostly oats. Whites averaged 17/- to 20/-, and blacks 15/- to 16/6 per barrel. There is some inquiry for barley, but apparently very little is to be had.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Friday.—WHEAT—Cargoes remain firm; demand less active following recent liberal business; No. 1 Northern Manitoba afloat sellers 52/6, Pacific August-September 51/-, Australian afloat 53/6, choice white Karachi afloat 52/-, May-June 50/-, Rosafe 62lbs. March-April 50/-, May-June 50/-. Parcels steady for near, but distant tends easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba April sold at 50/3, April-May 50/1½ to 50/-, May-June 49/4½, choice white Karachi April sellers 51/3, Rosafe 62lbs. April-May 49/- per 480lbs. MAIZE cargoes steady for near, but distant positions quiet while more freely offered. Plate steamers 10th May shipment 39/-, 15th May 38/6, May 38/-, June 37/-, July 36/9. Parcels steady but quiet; Plate April-May sellers 37/-, May-June 36/9, June-July 35/3; No. 2 white flat African July-August 34/9, No. 6 yellow African ditto 34/6, red Karachi April-May 39/9 per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet; cargoes of Persian September-October sellers 24/-, Dan.-Bess.-Kos. April-May 28/6 per 400lbs. Parcels dull, unchanged. OATS steady but quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat 24/6, April-May and May-June 23/6, No. 2 Canadian Western April-May 28/6, No. 2 feed ditto 25/4½ per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Friday.—There was a small attendance of buyers at this week-end market, and trade proceeded slowly, but a very firm tone prevailed and prices displayed a hardening tendency, more especially with regard to breadstuffs. WHEAT—English firm, and suitable milling grades quoted at 10/4 to 10/9, with inferior at 9/6 to 10/- per 112lbs., free on rail. Imported against dearer while sparingly offered: No. 1 Northern Manitoba 53/-, Rosafe 62lbs. 52/6 to 52/9, both ex ship per 496lbs. FLOUR firm: London standard straight run quoted at 42/-, patents 44/- to 45/-. Town Households 40/- per sack, delivered in Metropolitan area; all English country straights 34/- to 35/-, delivered to London stations. Imported firm but quiet: Manitoba patents range from 37/6 to 41/6, Minneapolis good patents 41/-, and Australian 37/- to 38/-, all per 280lbs. ex store. MILLERS' OFFALS firm; broad bran quoted 7/3 to 7/6, ordinary 6/6, middlings 7/6 to 7/9, bags included, ex mill; light oats 6/3, powdered oat husks 6/3, feed oatmeal 8/9, ground oats 13/9, all per cwt., free on rail. BARLEY steady: English ranges from 8/9 to 10/9 per 112lbs., free on rail, as to quality. Imported steady: Californian quoted 42/- to 43/6, Australian Chevalier 42/- to 43/-, New Zealand 40/-, all landed, per 448lbs. Persian 27/-, Plate 30/-, Danubian 30/- to 30/6, all landed, per 400lbs. MAIZE firm: Plate ex ship 39/3, landed 40/9, No. 2 yellow American landed 39/9, No. 2 mixed American ex ship 39/3, landed 40/9, No. 2 yellow American landed 39/6, No. 2 mixed American ex ship 38/3, East African landed 38/6, red Karachi ditto 42/6, all per 480lbs. OATS—English firm at 9/- to 10/9 per 112lbs., free on rail, as to quality. Imported steady: Plate f.a.q. ex ship 25/3, ditto landed 26/6, No. 3 Canadian Western ex ship 28/9, landed 30/-, No. 3 ditto landed 28/-, No. 2 Canadian feed ex ship 26/-, ditto landed 27/-, New Zealand A grade 38/6, B grade 37/6, both landed, all per 320lbs. OATMEAL steady, with a fair trade in force; London-made all cuts 18/-; rolled oats, also whole groats 18/- flaked oats 20/6 ex mill; ordinary Scottish oatmeal 18/6 to 19/6, and American all cuts 17/- to 17/6 per cwt.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—WHEAT—American markets were easier, and past week's shipments from Argentine exceeded the forecast, while a liberal proportion is given for Liverpool, which caused speculative positions of wheat here to give way fairly at the commencement of operations. Values then fluctuated frequently, but later on gave way, at one time showing a considerable fall, but recovered moderately from the worst point. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold at 50/- to 50/4½, May-June 49/3 to 49/4½, July-August 49/- to 49/1½, and choice white Karachi afloat 51/6 to 51/7½, with Rosario-Santa Fe 62½lbs. loading quoted 49/4½ per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE American mixed afloat sold at 37/- to 37/3, and River Plate May-June 35/10½ per qr. Wheat on the spot was scarce, and prices showed an advance of 2d. to 4d. per cental on Tuesday's rates. Maize—Spot parcels sparingly offered at 1d. to 1½d. over Tuesday. American mixed held at 8/2½ to 8/4, and River Plate 8/7 to 8/8 per cental. FLOUR firm at further enhanced prices. Local-milled makers now quoted 36/6 to 38/6, and patents 40/- to 44/- per 280lbs. ex mill. Graded red wheat futures opened ¼d. to ⅜d. per cental lower, further gave way, and fluctuated frequently, according to the offerings, at one time being 1⅛d. to 1½d. lower, but closed steady, with May 1½d. and other months 1⅛d. under last night. Maize options nominal.

PROVISIONS.

LONDON, Friday.—BUTTER—There is no improvement to note in this market, while supplies coming to hand are on a large scale. Although prices have dropped heavily of late, and which has enabled retailers to make a substantial reduction to the public, consumption does not appear to have increased to any extent at present, and with arrivals far in excess of requirements, big quantities are finding their way into cold store. Imports into the United Kingdom during last month totalled 148,352 cwts., to which Denmark contributed 133,902 cwts., New Zealand 132,208, Australia 87,481, and the Argentine 51,574. New Zealand finest salted 138/- to 143/-, fine 132/- to 136/-, unsalted 154/- to 160/-. Australian finest grade 134/- to 138/-, second 124/- to 132/-, inferior 124/- to 128/-, unsalted 122/- to 142/-. Argentine 136/- to 138/-, Danish 156/- to 160/-, Dutch 146/- to 158/- per cwt. Dutch rolls 18/- to 19/-, French rolls 16/- to 20/- per dozen lbs.; other French nominal. CHEESE—Although supplies have been of light extent during the past few weeks, same proved quite sufficient to cover all requirements. New Zealand white and coloured quoted 90/- to 96/-, Australian 86/- to 90/-. Dutch Edam—40 per cent. 108/- to 112/-, 30 per cent. 90/- to 94/-, 20 per cent. 78/- to 82/-. Goudas—40 per cent. 104/- to 110/-, 30 per cent. 90/- to 96/-, 20 per cent. 70/- to 74/-. BACON—As regards Danish, this keeps firm, and consignments clear on arrival, despite the fact of same being on a liberal scale. To-day prices were advanced 2/- to 4/- per cwt. Swedes also experience fair demand. Dutch steady. Irish quoted 114/- to 125/- ex factory. Danish landed 113/- to 117/-, Swedish 104/- to 112/-, Canadian 96/- to 100/-, ditto heavy 90/- to 95/-, American 70/- to 84/-, for Wiltshire cut, and 72/- to 76/- Cumberland. HAMS—General course of trade with regard to American proved quiet, and prices showed against sellers. Long cut 90/- to 100/-, short cut 84/- to 92/-. English range from 175/- to 210/-, as to weight. LARD—With no appreciable recovery in demand, the market for American presented a depressed tone; boxes quoted 63/- to 65/-, pails 66/- to 68/-, cartons 66/- to 68/-, per cwt. EGGS—There is a moderate trade doing, and prices to-day showed no material alteration. English 11/6 to 12/-, Irish 10/- to 11/-, Danish, 16lbs. 12/6 to 13/-, 15lbs. 11/6, 14lbs. 10/6, Dutch 12/6 to 13/-, Hungarian blue 10/6, ditto brown 12/- to 13/6, Italian 17lbs. 11/- to 11/6, 16lbs. 10/6 to 11/-, Egyptian 16lbs. 10/- to 10/6, Southern 10/-, French 12/- to 12/6, Lithuanian 9/3 to 10/-, Brittany 9/6 to 10/- per 120.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.—Irish BACON remains scarce at 118/- to 128/- per cwt., but buyers still hold aloof. Danish again freely offered at 118/- to 120/- per cwt., fillings to Denmark for export being heavy; Canadians ...... Wiltshires meeting only limited supplies. The situation ...... American bacon here is little altered, live hogs at Chicago being easier, but speculative products show a partial improvement, though fair imports of bacon are entered here. Holders are still anxious to reduce stocks and are easy to approach, but the offered ...... HAMS freely offered, and extra skinned easier at 98/- to 105/- per cwt., but a little more inquiry is reported in some quarters. Shoulders generally quiet at 68/- to 72/-. LARD though picnics attract rather more attention. LARD steady on the spot, a fair demand for both prime steam and American refined, with a moderate inquiry experienced for latter. CHEESE quoted 98/- to 98/- for States, 98/- to 100/- for white New Zealand, and 100/- to 102/- coloured, with Canadian 100/- to 105/-. BUTTER steady, but soft lower prices are improving demand. Butter sells at 158/- to 165/- for Danish, 140/- to 144/- Irish creameries, 140/- to 142/- Australian, and 145/- to 150/- per cwt. New Zealand. EGGS steady, with Irish hen at 11/- to 11/6 and ducks 11/- to 11/9 per 120, the supply of Egyptian being now ......

PATRICK KEHOE, LTD., Irish Bacon Curers and Lard Refiners, Importers of American Provisions (Estd. 100 years.)—105 FRANCIS ST., DUBLIN. —(Advt.)

REFINED LARD FUTURES.—LIVERPOOL, Friday.—The advance in Chicago had already been fully discounted here, and, with but a moderate demand during the early session, values gave way 3d. per cwt. May sold at 62/-, July 62/6 to 62/9, while there were sellers of April at 62/-, and September quoted 63/3 to 63/6 per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Friday.—BUTTER—Approximate quotations on Tuesday next for Danish will be 162/- to 165/- per cwt. Swedish scarce at about 160/-. Finnish 153/- to 155/-. The Copenhagen official butter quotations came 46 kroner per 100 kilos lower. BACON—A steady tone continued for Irish and Continental brands, but American was again slow, with prices difficult to maintain. LARD is quiet demand, with English refined in boxes quoted 69/6 per cwt. CHEESE was a quiet and easy market for all descriptions. EGGS steady; Irish hen 11/3 to 12/-, Irish duck 11/6 to 12/6, and Danish 12/3 to 15/6 per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Friday.—A few samples of Irish strawberries realised 9/- to 17/- per box approximately of 1lb. Irish apples mainly of poor class, 7/- to 8/-, and 15/- per barrel. Little change in imported fruits; trade ruled unusually slow, and offtake limited at nominally previous list quotations. Tasmanian apples now coming forward of fair quality; 14/- to 16/-, and 18/- per box. Oranges nearly out and dear. Very heavy market of vegetables, and sales satisfactorily supported to a tolerably early sell-out. Rhubarb in great request and dear, viz., 4/6 to 5/6, 9/-, 10/-, and 12/- per dozen bundles; carrots 6d. to 1/- ditto, parsnips 1/- to 1/6, bags ditto 2/- to 2/3; kidney beans 3/- to 2/6 per bundle; new Irish potatoes 5d. per lb., seconds 3d.; broccoli 4/- to 6/-, and special 7/- to 8/- per dozen, seconds 2/- to 2/9; ditto York cabbage 15/- to 25/-, 35/-, 40/-, 47/- to 50/- per load; Swede turnips 2/9 to 3/6 and 4/- per cwt.; seakale 1/- to 2/- per dozen crowns, parsley 1/- to 1/9 per tray and float, and 4/- per bag; scallions 3d. to 5d. and 6d. per bundle, lettuce 6d. to 1/6 and 2/-; per dozen; celery 6d. to 1/6 per bundle, white turnips 3d. to 6d. per ditto, round radishes 6d. to 1/- per dozen bunches, long 3d. to 6d. ditto; leeks 2d. to 4d. per bunch, thyme 2d. to 4d. and 6d., mint 3d. to 6d. per bunch.

HALSTON STREET POULTRY AND GAME, Friday.—Fair supplies of poultry came to hand, and market daily steadily sold up. Plump chickens and crammed fowl continue firm around 1/10 per lb. dead, prime fat heavy hens 3/- to 3/6—preference for those alive—ordinary 2/- to 2/6; prime fat young ducks 5/-, stores 3/- to 4/-, old, etc., 1/- to 2/-; guinea fowl in feather 3/6 each; young pigeons 1/- to 1/3, old, etc., wild 9d., rabbits 9d. to 1/- each.

LITTLE GREEN EGG AND BUTTER, Friday.—The butter position here is extremely slow and depressed. Supplies in sight are very liberal, but on to-day several merchants are awaiting deliveries detained in transit, and to this is attributed any momentary shortage. Irish creams are offering freely, but still of variable quality. Best grade rules from 1/4¼ to 1/5 per lb., other descriptions of ordinary class, which are figuring around 1/3 to 1/3½ per lb. Danish butter is very slow and slumpy sale at the reduced price of 1/7 per lb. The egg market, on the contrary, shows a decidedly firmer disposition, but this may only be of short tenure, and what is behind it is difficult to say, as the situation is altogether unlooked-for from the other side of the Channel. The local trade being on a rather limited and cautious character. Supplies, too, are on the ...... and show a shrinkage, as country dealers are mostly sending consignments through for shipment. Best qualities of hen eggs run from 10/3 to 11/- per 120, extra selected up to 12/- and 12/6 per 120, according to size and character. There is a fair demand for selected duck eggs at about par prices with hen except for small and soiled, which are more difficult to move, as is the case with ordinary hen eggs.

CORK BUTTER, Friday.—The market is in a very lumpy condition, and values are steadily falling. Creameries 135/- to 143/-; choicest mild cured 143/-, special dairies extra, farmers' fresh consignments 139/- per cwt.

IRISH BUTTER QUOTATION.—The Irish Dairy (Producers and Shippers) Association have fixed for the week ending Thursday next, 3rd May, 1923, 144/- per cwt. for choicest salted butter, wholesale, net, free on rail, Ireland. Special dairies extra.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE FISH, Friday.—White fish is very short supply, chiefly about 9 or 10 boxes from country boats and small plaice from local sources. 35 packages salmon came in, together with 3 chests ......and a few boxes herrings. Trade good for what offered. Salmon 2/3 to 2/6, 2/9, and 2/9 per lb., first pick lobsters 20/- to 30/- per 12 average, others 5/-, 10/-, to 15/- per doz; turbot 6d. to 1/-; ...... 20/- each, brill 6d. to 4/- and 5/- each; best soles 25/- to 35/- per 9 pairs, mediums 15/- to 22/6, slips 10/- to 12/6, per 9 pairs; best plaice 6/- to 8/- per 4, others 4/- to 5/- per 4; half-boxes plaice 40/- to 65/-, codfish 60/- to 70/- and 80/-, ray 20/- to 30/-, herrings 31/- to 40/- per box.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POTATO, Friday.—Supplies heavy, and stock difficult to materially reduce. Skerries of reputed qualities around 4/3 to 5/- per cwt., mixed sorts 4/3 to 4/6. Arran Chiefs around 3/6, and Dates 3/- to 3/3 per cwt. Occasional specially good and known character tubers command a little more money, but such are in few hands.

LURGAN MARKET, Thursday.—There were fair supplies at the weekly market yesterday. Eggs (hen and duck) sold at 11/6 per dozen; potatoes (whites) 1/6 to 1/- per cwt., ditto Skerries 3/6 to 4/3 per cwt.; straw (oat) 3/6 to 3/9 per cwt., hay (upland) 3/- to 3/6, ditto meadow 3/- to 3/- per cwt.; turnips 1/- per cwt.

THE MONEY MARKET.

HARDER TONE IN LOMBARD STREET.

TREASURY BILL RATES HIGHER.

There were indications evident that the plethora of credit was not quite so pronounced, and this, together with the unexpectedly higher rate resulting from the Treasury bill tenders, served to impart a harder tone to Lombard street. The Treasury Bills have been sold at an average discount of approximately 1⅜ p.c., which is almost ⅛ over last week. Bills dated Monday and Saturday offered at £99 10s. 4d. are accepted in full, Tuesday to Friday at £99 10s. 2d. receiving 65 p.c. The Four p.c. Treasury Bonds have brought in a better price, tenders at £95 5s. getting 70 p.c. Discounts were adjusted upwards, the new Treasuries being sellers at over 1⅝, while three months' fine bank paper was advanced to almost 2 p.c. Borrowers found less night money offering at 1 p.c., the average price for day-to-day loans being 1½ p.c., fixtures 1½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 13, 1922) 3			
60 days fine	1⅜	1⅝	
3 months	1⅞	2	Trade ... 3 ... 3½
4 months	1⅞	2	
6 months	2⅛	2⅜	
Loans to brokers day-to-day			1½
for a week			1½
Deposit allowance: Banks at call			1
Discount houses at call			1
at notice			1¼

Gold advanced 3d. per oz., further to 89s. 1d. nominal. Silver rose ⅛d. per oz. for both spot and forward delivery to 32⅛d. and 32⅛d. respectively, on Indian buying.

Not a great deal of interest was provided by the market for foreign exchange, but sterling continued very depressed on New York, the quotation sagging to 4.63⅞. The following are closing quotations:—

—	April 27.		April 26.		Normal Rate
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½
Amsterdam	11.84⅛	11.85	11.86⅛	11.87	12.107
B. Ayres	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	47.58
Barcelona	30.30	30.32	30.30	30.31	25.22
Berlin	134,000	137,000	133,000	138,000	20.43
Bombay	1/4⅛		1/4⅛		1/6
Brussels	79.00	79.10	79.60	79.70	25/22½
Calcutta	1/4⅛	1/4⅛	1/4⅛	1/4⅛	1/6
Christiania	26.60	26.70	27.05	27.10	18.15
Copenhagen	24.65	24.75	24.64	24.69	18.15
Czecho-Slov	155⅛	156⅛	156	157	—
Finland	166⅛	167⅛	167	168	25.22
Greece	390	400	390	400	25.22
Hong Kong	2/3⅛	2/4⅛	2/3⅛	2/4⅛	—
Hungary	21,000	23,000	21,000	23,000	—
Italy	93⅛	94⅛	93⅛	94⅛	25.22
Lisbon	2/-	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	53⅛
Madrid	30.30	30.35	30.30	30.34	25.22
Mexico	25d				—
Montreal	4.71	4.72	4.73⅛	4.73⅛	4.86
Montevideo	42⅛	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	51
New York	4.62⅛	4.63⅛	4.63⅛	4.63⅛	4.86
Paris	68.20	68.30	68.76	68.80	25.22
Poland	310,000	320,000	210,000	220,000	—
Rio de Jan.	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	16
Roumania	920	1,000	960	1,010	—
Shanghai	3 2	3 3	3 2	3 3	—
Singapore	2 4⅛		2 4⅛		2/4
Stockholm	17.27	17.32	17.33	17.35	18.15
Switzerland	25.46	25.52	25.39	25.44	25.22
Valparaiso	37.40		37.40		13.33
Vienna	320,000	340,000	320,000	340,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅛	2/1⅛	2/1⅛	2/1⅛	2/0½

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 135,000.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Friday.—SUGAR—There was no fresh noteworthy feature to record with regard to spot parcels refined. Prices were kept at recent level, ... 70/- to 71/9, granulated ...... Java for ...... May-June 56/9, ... August 56/3, ... for May, granulated ...... 64/10, ... 54/9, ... May ...... sold at 57/-, ... Tate's cube ...... Granulated spot quoted 66/9. May steamer 56/3, ... London, white Java spot 65/6 to 66/6, May-June sold 53/-, June-July 51/-, July-August at 49/- c.f. and i. London; Belgian granulated ...... seller 48/-, f.o.b., London ...... 58/9, ... May 32/9, ... 51/-, f.o.b. Hamburg; of Dutch, granulated ...... sellers 35/6 ...... 33/6, and Dutch ...... December 28/-. Rice and Indian ...... spot 28/6; May quoted 35/-. ...... Burma 15/6, ... sold at 17/9, ... market easier, but ...... May delivery ...... 30/3, September 31/- ...... COFFEE—The market ...... about 29/6 cwt. ...... Costa Rica ...... 118/-, ... India ...... 92/-, to 100/-, ... down ...... 13/6, c.f. and i. terms. ...... Rangoon ...... sold 26/-, April-May sellers ...... at 25/6, ... SPICE—Business in pepper was ...... black Singapore spot 4d., afloat ...... 4½d., Tellicherry spot ...... 11d., ... Zanzibar cloves steady; spot parcels ...... May steamer sold 11⅛d., May-July 11⅛d. TAPIOCA ...... June 4½d. per lb., forward positions ...... 24/6, ... seed quoted 37/6, April-May ...... Small sago spot 24/6, ... May-July 13/9. American Oats spot 14/7, Dutch terms spot 14/7, ... 15/10½. ...... at 40/6, ... Demand quiet, ... May-June Continent sellers £29 15s., new August-September £29 5s., September-October £29 ...... MESSINA ...... MA—The market for Manila ...... £33 15/-, K. ...... £31 10/- value. New Zealand ...... No. 1 Tanganyika ...... £28 to £37 10/- ...... SHELLAC ...... April £26 ...... CONSOLS spot ...... August 290/- cwt. COPRA opened rather ...... steadier, though somewhat unsettled; F.M.S. ...... February-April Rotterdam sold £29 7/6, March-April £29 2/6, April-June £28 15/- ...... May £29 10/-, April-June £29, Dutch East ...... May £29 10/-, ... £29 ...... 6, ... Marseilles ...... PALM KERNELS ...... RUBBER—A fair amount of business was effected on the market, ... proved weaker on balance. At times some pressure to sell was evinced. Standard plantation crepe and sheet spot sold 15⅛d., ... 15⅛d., June 15⅛d. to 15⅛d., July-September 15⅛d. to 16d. and 16⅛d. October-December 16⅛d., and 16⅛d. ...... 16⅛d. ...... smoked sheet ...... 15⅛d., soft fine, also caucho ball 11⅛d. COCOA—The market on spot keeps very slow. Forward positions easy. Accra F.F. quality April-May 34/-, June-July 33/6, ... to New York 35/6, c.f. and i. Trinidad ...... London quoted 46/-, Bahia 41/-, ... TEA—General ...... private treaty, with moderate inquiries. ESSENTIAL OILS—Market quiet. Menthol spot 33/-, forward 31/-, Japanese peppermint oil, spot 6/3, forward 5/9, ... forward 3/5; ...... crude camphor spot 3/3, ... 3/3, Java spot ...... Ceylon citronella oil spot 3/3, ... ISINGLASS—Market dull ...... 9/6 per lb. ...... EGG PRODUCTS ...... but there is only a small amount of trade doing; ...... liquid hen yolk spot 97/6, April-June ...... yolk spot 9⅛d., albumen spot ...... FRUIT DRIED—The market for currants presented a steady feature, and a moderate amount of business was effected. Patras ...... 54/-, half-bags 55/- to 55/6, Panariti 55/- to 57/-, good Vostizza 57/- to 71/-, new Australian ...... Quite a good demand for sultanas, and the better grades ...... Smyrna ...... Valencia raisins command fair support; half-boxes quoted 32/- to 54/-, ... Denias ...... EVAPORATED FRUITS again quiet, and prices in favour of the buyer. Californian extra choice apricots quoted 140/-, fancy 155/-, Cape apricots 92/- to 110/-, Australian ditto 130/-. Californian pears ...... apples rings extra choice 54/- to 55/-, ... CANNED GOODS—Sardines ...... French 18 ounce sold ...... 16/-, ... salmon ...... pink ...... fully maintained, while showing a hardening tendency; ...... 40/- to 41/6; 1lb. flat pink 25/- ...... Crayfish steady at 85/-, ... CANNED FRUITS ...... Singapore pines, 1½lbs., spot quoted 9/6, ... 10/6, peaches 9/6 to 11/-, pears 12/6 to ...... Spanish threes quoted 6/6. ...... OILS—Linseed quiet and easier, spot 42/-, May-August 43/6, September-December 39/6. Rape ...... spot 45/-. Cotton—Crude Egyptian spot 41/-, China wood—Hankow spot 135/-. Soya—Oriental May-June 42/6, ditto bulk 39/-. Cocoanut—Cochin May-June 37/-. Turpentine dull and easier; American spot and April 110/-, July-December 86/6. OILSEEDS—Linseed ...... Petroleum and Resin unaltered. ...... Bombay ...... £21 10/-, Calcutta April-May ...... Rapeseed steady; Toria May-June quoted £18 5/-, ... £16 15/-, Jamba £13 7/6, ... Egyptian black May quoted £12 7/6, white ...... Bombay £9 18/9 per ton. Castor and ......

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Friday.—Market ...... firm and demand good; ready sugars ......

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW, Smithfield, ... Our bi-weekly hay supplies to-day were again of limited dimensions, and market sold up early at a further firming up on values. Choice Co. Dublin 1st and 2nd crop hay 8/- to 8/6, country and medium strong 7/6 and 8/-, prime old meadow hay 3/9 to 6/6, and 6/6 per cwt., and other qualities at proportionate rates. Fair offerings of straw; early arrivals averaged 4/6 to 4/9 and 5/- for wheaten, and 4/6 to 4/6 and for a few fancy feed loads ...... Lots of straw were difficult to find clients for, and ...... be purchased at 4/3 to 4/6 per cwt.

LIVERPOOL COTTON, Closing, Friday.—American limited demand. Brazilian quotations reduced 21 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian moderate demand, April 14.95d., May 14.94d., June 14.77d., July 14.71d., August 14.47d., September 14.00d. Sales 4,000 bales. Imports 11,200 bales. Market steady.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Friday.—Broadening of inquiries for piece goods still mentioned, but executing orders cannot be described as satisfactory. Inquiry is prominent in this increasing interest in prices, but buyers regarding China and smaller Eastern outlets purchase sparingly. Nothing calling for special remarks in all counts, and qualities as yesterday's level.

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SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

St. Patrick's Cathedral—8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11, Matins. Psalm cxxxix. Te Deum and Benedictus, Gladstone' in F. Anthem, "Not unto us" (Robinson). Hymn 403, "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus." Preacher, Rev. N. J. D. White, D.D., Prebendary of Clonmethan. 12.15, Holy Communion. 3.15 p.m. Magnificat and N. Dim. (Stanford in A). Anthems, etc.—"The Souls of the righteous" (Noble). Hymn 388, "All hail the power." 2nd, "In the Lord put I my trust" (Stewart). Preacher, Rev. N. J. D. White, D.D., Prebendary of Clonmethan.

Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin.—11, Matins; Psalm 65; Te Deum, Benedictus, Stainer in E flat; Introit, "O taste and see" (Goss). 11.40, Holy Communion, Stainer in E flat. Preacher, the Dean; Hymns, 504, 213. 3.30, Evensong; Psalms, 65, 67; Magnificat and Nunc Dim., Stainer in E flat; Anthem, "Why do the nations?" Hallelujah Handel); Hymn 508 1st.

Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Morning Prayer. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

Chapel of Trinity College.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Matins, Rev. J. C. Forrester.

St. Matthias's Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

Baggotrath Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Canon Mervyn. 7, Dr. Murray. Collection for Mission to Lepers.

St. Ann's Church—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. J. H. Alcock. 3.30, Rev. J. H. Alcock. 7, Rev. J. W. Crozier.

Rathmines Parish—8 and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. J. E. Dawson. 3.30 and 7, Rev. H. G. Forde.

Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. Bell. 3.30, Rev. H. E. Woodward. 7, Dr. C. G. Shaw.

St. Columba's Church, Ranelagh.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Dr. C. G. Shaw. 7, Rev. W. Magahen.

Zion Church.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. F. Moncrieff.

St. Stephen's.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Matins and Litany. 11.30, Matins (Te Deum, Field in D; Benedictus, Chipp in D) and Holy Communion, with sermon. 3, Children's Service. 7, Evensong (Service, Gater in F) and sermon.

St. James's Parish Church.—11.30, Rev. T. C. Hammond. 7, Rev. William Anderson.

St. James's District Church.—11.30, Rev. R. Saunderson Griffin. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. T. C. Hammond.

St. Bartholomew's Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins, Dr. Frees. 12, Sung Eucharist, Dr. Frees. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evensong, Dr. Frees.

Church of the Female Orphan House, N.C. road.—9.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. W. Talbot Turl.

Mission Church, Townsend street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. Robertson. 7, Rev. W. S. Griffin.

St. Paul's Church.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. E. M. Bateman. 7, Rev. E. C. Hodges.

St. Jude's Church, Kilmainham.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30. 3, Parade Service Boys' and Girls' Brigade.—Rev. P. W. Coster.

Drumcondra Parish.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. E. Hamilton. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. W. Coulter.

North Strand Parish.—11.30, Rev. W. H. Coulter. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. H. C. Cave.

Rotunda Hospital Chapel.—11.30, the Chaplain.

Mission to the Deaf, Dawson street.—3.15, Rev. F. Elliott.

St. Catherine's.—11.30, Rev. C. R. Kitching. 7, Rev. Thompson.

St. Victor's.—8 and 11.30, Canon Thompson. 7, Rev. C. R. Kitching.

St. Michan's Church, Church street.—11.30, Rev. J. ... 7, Rev. W. W. Duncan.

St. Thomas's.—11.30, Rev. D. H. Hall. 4 and 7, Rev. H. W. Donald.

St. Barnabas's.—11.30, Rev. H. W. Donald. 4 and 7, Rev. D. H. Hall.

St. Werburgh's.—11.15, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. J. McCreery. 3.30, Rev. A. Blunt. 7, Rev. E. Robinson.

Molyneux Church.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Morrow.

St. Peter's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. J. Tobias. 3.30, Rev. J. Tobias. 7, Rev. F. W. Synnott.

St. Audoen's.—11.30, Rev. F. W. Synnott. 7, Rev. Tobias.

St. George's—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion, 11 30, Rev. Fergus Greer. 7, Rev. R. Watson.

St. Aidan's.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. G. J. Verschoyle. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. Cummins.

St. Augustine's.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. R. Kerr. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. Fergus Greer.

The Free Church.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev J. Cummins. 7, Rev. G. J. Verschoyle.

St. Andrew's Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. R. Northridge. 3, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. R. Northridge. 5, Service in Irish, Rev. P. Quigley.

St. Mark's.—11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. J. Carson. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. J. ...

St. Mary's Parish Church.—11.30, Morning Service, Rev. H. O. Cave. 7, Evening Service, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease.—11.30, Morning Service, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty. 3, Service, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty. 7, Evening Service, Rev. N. Hamilton.

St. Kevin's, S.C. road.—11.30, Rev. Edmund Robinson. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. Bird.

Booterstown Church—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Offertory for M.P.O.S. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion.

Christ Church, Kingstown—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Choral Evensong.

Tullow Parish Church, Carrickmines—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany, Rev. E. Hodges. 6, Evening Prayer. Offertories for Diocesan Board of Education.

Rathfarnham Parish Church—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

Harold's Cross Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev J. J. Longhead. 4, Children's Service 7, Rev. Jennings.

Zion Church, Rathgar.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. J. Parkinson Hill. 4 and 7, Rev. E. M. Bateman.

Clontarf Parish Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer, Holy Communion; Rev. J. F. Shearman. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. John Connell.

All Saints', Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Eucharist (sung). 7, Rev. J. Dawson.

Mariners' Church, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. E. J. Devlin. 3.30, Rev. A. E. Hughes. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev A. E. Hughes.

St. Philip's, Milltown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. Harthornthwaite.

St. Paul's Church, Glenageary.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. Bird. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

All Saints' Church, Blackrock.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evensong.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

Abbey Church, Rutland square.—11.45, Rev. Dr. Adam Osborne. 7, Rev. Dr. J. C. Johnston.

Adelaide road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. K. Hanna.

St. Andrew's, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. ...

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. H. P. Glenn.

Chapelizod.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. L. Morrow.

Donore.—11.30 and 7, Rev. G. T. C. Clements.

Greystones.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. S. Kirkpatrick.

Howth.—11.30 and 7, United Service in Methodist Church, Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Kingstown.—11.30, Rev. F. S. Gardiner. 7, Rev. B. Currie.

Lucan.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

Malahide.—4, Rev. H. C. Waddell.

Ormond quay.—12 and 7, Rev. F. C. Gibson.

Rathgar Christ Church.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. J. Kerr.

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

United Free Church of Scotland, Lr. Abbey street.—11 and 7, Rev. A. H. Macpherson.

Dublin Presbytery's City Mission.—Whitefriar street. 6, Whitefriar street.—Sabbath School, 3 p.m.; Gospel Service, 4.30 p.m. Speaker, Mr. Logan.

North Strand Hall.—Evangelistic Service, 8.15 p.m. Speaker, Mr. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Abbey street.—11.30; Rev. J. T ... 7; Dr. ...

Clonliffe.—11.30; Rev. R. C. Reddie. 7; Rev. J. Dixon.

Blackhall place.—11.30; 7; Rev. R. C. Reddie.

Inchicore.—11.30; Mr. A. H. Gibson. 7; Rev. J. R. Campbell.

Lucan.—11.30; Rev. S. T. Boyd.

Celbridge.—11.30; Rev. S. T. Boyd.

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7; Rev. Wm. L. Cosée.

Kingstown.—11.30 and 7; Rev. Benson E. Gentleman.

Blackrock.—11.30; Dr. Carrothers. 7; Rev. A. ...

Kingstown.—11.30; Rev. A. Egan. 7; Dr. Crothers.

Dalkey.—11.30 and 7; Rev. G. A. Duke.

Clontarf road.—11.30 and 7; Rev. E. W. Young. 3.45, Young People's Service.

Brighton road.—11.30 and 7; Rev. James M. Alley. 3.45, Young People's Service.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7; Rev. W. W. Hutchinson.

Sutton.—11.30; Rev. Edward De Courcy. 7; Rev. W. Waddell. United Service.

Centenary.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Randall C. Phillips.

Kingsland Terr.—11.30, Rev. B. Brooke Morton. 7, Rev. W. R. Budd.

Dolphin's Barn.—11.30, Rev. W. B. Lumley. 7, Rev. B. Brooke Morton.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

Moravian Church, Lower Kevin street.—Morning Service, 11.30 a.m. Preacher, Rev. J. E. Hutton.

Congregational Church, York street.—11.30, and 7; Rev. J. Galley.

Kilmainham Congregational Church.—11.30, Mr. J. Logan. 7, Mr. W. Kelly.

Baptist Tabernacle Kingstown.—11.30 and 7.

Baptist Church, Harcourt street.—11.30 and 7, Pastor J. Penrose Harrison.

Baptist Church, Deverill place.—7; Mr. Albert Fowler.

The Salvation Army.—South Richmond street, Portobello Bridge—To-day, 8; to-morrow, 11, 3, 7; Adjutant and Mrs. Willis. Lower Abbey street—To-day, 8; to-morrow, 11.15, 3.15, 7.15; Captain and Mrs. Thompson. Kingstown—To-d... 8; to-morrow, 11.30, 3.30, 7.30, Adjutant Edwin Reynolds.

Society of Friends.—Eustace street, 11; Monkstown, 11; Churchtown, Dundrum, 11; Bray (Assembly Rooms, Fort View), 11.30; 63a Rathmines road, 11 and 7, Fairview Hall.—12, Mr. R. M'S. Gordon. 7, Mr. J. Curtis.

Grosvenor Hall, Rathgar.—7, Mr. E. J. Raybould. Brunswick Hall, 28½ Great Brunswick street.—3.30, 7, J. J. Murray.

Ringsend Mission Hall and Y.M.C.A., Pigeonhouse road.—8, Mr. George H. Weir.

Dublin Central Mission, George's Hall, South Great George's street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. ... H. Cullen. 3.30, Brotherhood Fellowship Meeting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street—Services Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, Rathmines Park (a branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.)—Services, at which all are welcome—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, open daily, 85 Grafton street, free to the public from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday, 3 to 5 p.m. Lesson Sermon, Sunday, April 29th—"Probation after Death."

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin Y.M.C.A.—To-morrow, 5 to 6, Conversational Bible Class, Mr. R. Wallis. 8.30, Gospel Meeting. Special address by Sir Henry M'Laughlin, K.B.E. Boys' Department—To-morrow, 5 to 6, Bible Class.

Rathmines Y.M.C.A.—To-day, 8, Prayer meeting. To-morrow, 10.15, men's meeting, Mr. C. G. Warner. 4, men's Bible reading, Mr. A. H. Ward. 8.30, Gospel Service, Mr. Wm. Porter.

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REGULAR FORCES.

The Buffs—The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels, on completion of their period of service in command, are placed on the half-pay list:—R. McDonall, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O.; W. H. Trevor, D.S.O. The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels:—Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Power, D.S.O.; Bt. Colonel J. Kennedy, C.M.G., D.S.O., from A. and S.H.

Loyal R.—The undermentioned Lieutenant to be Captain:—E. FitzLynch.

R.I. Fusiliers—Lieutenant H. A. J. Berry ceases to be seconded to R.C. of Sigs.

Queen Alexandra's Military Families' Nursing Service—The undermentioned Staff Nurses—Acting Sister-in-Charge—to be Sisters-in-Charge:—Miss Ellen M. Carter to complete establishment; Miss Marion A. Kelly, Miss Isabel Pegg to be Staff Nurse.

MEMORANDA.

Major F. J. L. Cogan, half-pay list, late R.F.A., retires on retired pay on account of ill-health, and is granted rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captain D. A. Hutchison, R.E., relinquishes temporary rank of Major on ceasing to be employed as a Deputy Assistant Director of Survey.

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Lt.-Colonel W. D. Dooner, Greenan, Dunmurry, Co. Antrim, takes Resident and Non Resident Pupils for all Naval, Military, University, etc., Entrance Examinations.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—W.S.W. wind, fresh breeze; fine and clear.

Foreign Arrivals—Estland, of Copenhagen (724 tons), from Valencia, with fruit and general cargo; discharging at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension. Tailo, of Rotterdam (347 tons), from Hamburg, via Waterford, with a general cargo, consigned to order discharging at Shelter Sheds, Alexandra Basin.

Coastwise Arrivals—South Stack Slieve Donard, from Holyhead, with goods; Moorfowl, from Glasgow, with goods; Brier, from Heysham, with goods; Lady Killiney, from Liverpool, with goods; Lady Patricia, from London, with goods; Olive, Oak, from Newport, with coals; Wythburn, from Whitehaven, with coals; Cornelian, from Ayr, with coals; Osceola, from Cork, with oil.

Foreign Departures—George Washington (steel twin-screw motor vessel), of Christiania (4,478 tons), for Bergen and Christiania, with part cargo (grain, etc.); Coelleda, of Philadelphia (3,453 tons), for Avonmouth, with part cargo (general).

Coastwise Departures—Slievemore, South Stack, for Holyhead, with goods; Lady Wicklow, for Liverpool, with goods; Moorfowl, for Glasgow, with goods; Brier, for Heysham, with goods; Cato, for Bristol, with goods; Orphan Girl (schooner), for Garston, with scrap iron; Goldseeker (schooner), for Irvine, with scrap iron; Pyrope, Elsie Thomas, for Liverpool, light; Plasma, for Trevor, light; St Mirren, for Garston, light; Puffin for Ormeshead, light; Beechfield, for Preston, light; Glencullen, for Partington, light; Sard for Duddon, light.

STORE CATTLE SALE.

MESSRS. GANLY, SONS, AND CO.—There was again a very good entry of forward conditioned cattle, especially bullocks, which included several lots of choice pollies. The attendance of buyers was not so good, and included very few for the cross-Channel trade. Demand was, therefore, quieter, and unless for the top lots prices were lower. A consignment of shorthorn heifers in forward condition from Lady Morris made £22 10/-, or 63/- per cwt. Mr. James Nolan's A.A. cross bullocks made £24, or 60/6 per cwt. Other forward conditioned lots sold at £30, £29 10/-, £28 15/-, £27 10/-, £26 5/-, £25/10/-, £25, £24 2/6, £24, £23 15/-, £23, £22 7/6, £21 10/-, £21 2/6, £20 10/-, £20, £19 15/-, £19 10/-, £19, etc., or from 52/- to 58/- per cwt. All the good cattle were sold, but a few lots of middling young cattle failed to reach owners' expectations.

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BAY Pony, 12 hands, 4 years, Round Trap, rubber tyres; Brown Harness; £60.—N 843, this office. 25 A

BROWN Cob, 14-3, rising 6, quiet ride, drive.—Hanlon, Clondalkin. 26 B

CHESTNUT Pony, twelve hands, rubber tyred Trap and S.M. Harness; lot £55.—E. Hall, Kill o' Grange, Dublin. 24 F

FOR Sale, Lady's Side Saddle, in perfect order, £6; also Horse Cover and Bridle, with Martingale, almost new, £4 or nearest offer. Apply Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mornington, Bray. 27 C

TWO Ponies, 13 hands, 6 years, sound, quiet, trial invited; rubber tyred Trap, Set Harness; good order. Seen at Slievenamon, Boghall, Bray. 25 A

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A CHOICE Lot of extra good Store Pigs; cheap.—E. Hall, Kill o' Grange, Dublin. 24 F

COW, Springer for Sale; large blue grey, good milker.—Hone Tighlorcain, Stillorgan. 26 F

CHOICE of four lovely Shorthorn Cows, just calved; also an ideal Jersey, calved this week, and an extraordinary good Dexter, sold at market value and cash returned if not satisfactory.—E. Hall, Kill-o'-Grange, Dublin. 27 C

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JERSEY Cow, Springer, pure bred, for Sale; time up 1st May.—St. John's, Terenure. 26 F

KITTEN (female) Wanted, about 6 months, house trained, good mouser.—Peel, Killester, Artane.

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PEDIGREE Jersey Heifer, 2 years, unmated, perfect type. Price and particulars from Dr. C. O'Byrne, Ballynacargy, Co. Westmeath. 27 O

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AIREDALE Dog for Sale, 11 months, by champion "Clunagh Marquis," ex bitch by Champion "Clonmel Master Magic"; cheap.—Mrs. Walker, Clonymore, Athboy. 27 O

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A SPLENDID Kerry Blue Male, five months; also Irish Terrier Pup, first prize winner, champion pedigree; cheap.—"Ulsterville," Monck place, Phibsborough.

BLACK Cocker Spaniel Puppies for Sale; 6 weeks old, sire by Ballywalter Nigger.—Orr, the Gardens, Oakland, Rathgar.

BEAUTIFUL prize bred Pomeranian Puppies and lovely Toy Yorkshire Terrier, males, nine months, real beauties, champion pedigrees; cheap.—Ulsterville, Monck place, Phibsborough.

FOR Sale, splendid litter of Irish Red Setter Puppies; excelling breeding, combining best bench and field trial blood. Address for particulars, "Z 908, Puppies," this office. 25 F

FOR Sale, beautiful White Pekingese Pup; also Sable Dog, one year; splendid pedigrees.—N 958, this office. 26 F

FOR full report of the Ulster Fox Terrier Club Show see to-day's issue of the "Irish Field" (the official organ of the Irish Kennel Club). On sale at all Newsagents.

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PEKINGESE, eight months, champion bred; lady's pet; good home essential; cheap. Address "Z 952, Pekingese," this office. 26 F

PURE bred Irish Red Setters, fit for training.—E. Smyth, Newtown, Drogheda. 27 C

POMERANIANS—For Sale, three pure bred Poms (Chocolate); little beauties. Apply to 16 Corrig avenue, Dunleary. 27 C

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SEALYHAM Puppies for Sale; exceptional breeding; reasonable price.—Govan, 27 Ulverton road, Dalkey. 27 C

TYRRELL, Drumconrath, Cavan, can supply Dogs, suitable watch dogs, companions, show and sport; state breed required. 25 B

WANTED, a Dog Pointer Pup, pedigree, saddle back breed. Address "Z 950, Dog," this office. 26 F

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Antiques. T

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BEDROOM Suites, complete furnishing ten Bedrooms, quantity General Furniture Wanted.—N 1166, this office. 27 C

CARPET, 15 x 12; another, 12 x 9; new; Selling cheap.—R O 1457, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 26 F

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FOR Sale, Dining Table, expanding screw.—N 1131, this office.

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GENERAL Furniture House Wanted, together or separate; fair price.—N 1176, this office. 27 C

HIGH Class Furniture of one Sittingroom, two Bedrooms, principally oak, Carpets, Pictures; no dealers.—N 905, this office. 26 B

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LAWLOR Briscoe will Buy or Sell your Surplus Furniture. Auction every Thursday.—35 Ormond quay. T

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay; highest prices Ladies', Gents', Children's Left Off Clothes, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received. T

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A LARGE space of Ground to Let or Sell; suit garage, factory, etc.; at main road.—102 Donore terrace, Dolphin's Barn. 27 A

A SMALL House and Shop, 20a Wentworth place, for Sale with possession.—Goodfellow, 4 Morehampton road.

BUSINESS Premises, Cork Hill, with possession, for immediate Sale; full particulars from P. J. Byrne, Auctioneer, 8 Parliament street. 25 F

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FOR Sale, with immediate possession, Dwellinghouse and Shop; good business locality, Lisburn; free of rent. Apply J. D. Martin and Co., Auctioneers, 61 Chichester street, Belfast.

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GARAGE to Let.—66 Waterloo road. 27 A

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OFFICES to Let, Henry street, moderate. Apply Apartments Agency, 45 Henry street. 26 C

PRIVATE Garage to Let, Blackrock, beside tram.—N 309, this office.

SHOP Wanted, Dublin or suburbs; will purchase or rent.—N 320, this office. 25 A

SHOP and House for Sale, fully fitted, large cellars, electric light, vicinity Stephen's Green. Apply 24 Sandymount road. 26 F

SHOP Wanted in large town (North Free State or South Ulster), medium size, with yard; moderate rent; full particulars.—N 1058, this office. 26 C

SHOP and House for Sale, South Great George's street. Apply Douglas's, 99 Parnell street. 27 C

PREMISES, LAND, ETC. CONTINUED

TO Let, large Stores, with loft, North side Stephen's Green; good entrance; moderate rent.—N 782, this office. 24 F

TO Let, Parnell square, large Front Room, suitable for offices, society meetings.—N 950, this office. 26 F

TO Let, Ground Floor and Loft, each 200 feet by 30; also Timber and Slates.—O'Neill, 10 Cork st.

TO Let, the Trapping of Rabbits on 600 acres. Apply Steward, Saunder's Grove, Baltinglass. 27 A

WANTED, to Buy or Rent, Shop for General Stores, Merrion, Booterstown, or Blackrock.—N 957, this office. 26 B

WANTED, Shop, prominent position; state size and rent.—McLaughlin, 14 Great Wellington street, Glasgow. 27 A

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GRAZING Land to Let by the eleven months, 18 acres, more or less, at Dolphin's Barn; offers wanted.—The Dublin Brick Co., Ltd., Dolphin's Barn, Dublin. 25 A

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THREE excellent Stables, Motor Garage, Harness Room, Hay Loft, etc.; close to entrance Phoenix Park, North Circular road.—N 867, this office. 25 A

TO Let, good Stable, suitable to garage one or two cars, rear of Percy place.—N 1001, this office.

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AUCTION, 3rd May—Dame Street Picture House, fully appointed.—Battersby and Co., Auctioneers. 7 26

FOR Sale as a Going Concern, a select Bakery and Catering Business on leading road, Belfast; good bakehouse and dwelling accommodation; exceptional opportunity for pushing man; inquiries solicited. Address Box No. 965, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast

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POULTRY Farm, with living accommodation, Wanted to purchase as Going Concern. State particulars and lowest terms to N 889, this office. 26 B

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AT Victoria street, S.C.R.—Choice House; selling moderate; newly decorated; seen daily.—MacArthur and Co., House Agents, 79 Talbot street. 24 F

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AT Howth road—Excellent Residence; possession; good gardens; price £1,300. Orders to view from MacArthur and Co., House Agents, 79 Talbot st. 24 F

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AT Pembroke road—Large House on main tram line; price £1,800.—MacArthur and Co., House Agents, 79 Talbot street. 24 F

AT Caledon road, Fairview—Three neat Cottages; price £350 Lot. Full particulars from MacArthur and Co., House Agents, 79 Talbot st. 24 F

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AUCTION, 3rd May—110 N.C. road; free of rent; possession; semi detached; soundly built.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 7 26

"ALSA," Waverley avenue, Fairview (No. 8), for Sale, with possession; modern house, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), all conveniences; excellent repair. Apply J. and R. Thompson (Dublin), Ltd., Fairview, Dublin.

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AT Terenure—£1,050, charming House; 5 bedrooms, spotless order; possession.—Arthur Jones, Auctioneers, Greystones. 27 C

"AUBURN," 7 Sidney Parade avenue, Merrion road, Dublin, for Sale; very desirable semi detached non basement residence, adjoining Aylesbury road and Ailesbury Park; best residential district, beside tram and train; immediate possession; Poor Law Valuation £39, head rent £9, Pembroke lease; two sittingrooms, study, four family bedrooms, maid's room, box room, bathroom (hot and cold), linen press, two separate w.c.'s, kitchen and scullery, good range, gas, electric light and bells, bicycle house, coal house, large greenhouse, good gardens back and front, side entrance; house splendidly equipped and very easily run. Seen by appointment. Apply Premises.

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CARRICKMINES—House for Sale, free all rent, beside station, post office, church, golf links, tennis club; 7 rooms, bath, h. and c.; garden, garage, etc.—N 935, this office. 25 F

COLWYN Bay—Detached Freehold House, with small garden, South aspect; 2 sitting, 7 bedrooms; price £1,600; Furniture can also be bought.—T. Brackstone and Co., Estate Agents, Colwyn Bay. 23 X

DETACHED Residence, standing on about 1½ acres charmingly situated, near Orwell road, Rathgar; contains 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), servants' accommodation; greenhouse, stabling, coach; court; price £2,700; head rent and taxes £51; long lease.—Sullivan, Ahody, Dartry road. 24 F

DETACHED, Sandymount, sea view; 5 bedrooms, hot bath, large garden; Furniture valuation if desired; possession; £2,250.—Arthur Jones, Auctioneer, Greystones. 25 A

DRUMCONDRA—69 Hollybank road. Auction 3rd May. Modern; convenient; possession.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 7 26

DELGANY, Co. Wicklow—Innismore, on 2½ acres prime Land; attractive Residence; conveniently situated; possession. Auction, 3rd May.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 7 26

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EIGHT Per Cent. out of Profit Rents in Dublin for Sale; £3,000.—N 821, this office. 25 A

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FOR Sale, vacant possession, £560, new brick built slated Cottage, with 13 Acres Land, peaceful district, Tandragee, Co. Armagh.—R. M. Cullen, Solicitor, Portadown. 26 B

FOR Sale, short distance from tram, North side, nice five roomed House; good outoffices, between two and three acres in garden and land; best offer.—N 10..., this office.

FOR Sale, compact non basement House, near Fairview; close tram line; six rooms, bathroom (h. and c.), washhouse; P.L.V. £17; possession to purchaser.—N 1002, this office. 27 C

FOR Sale, sound, compact House, Rathgar, Terenure district; large garden, fowl runs, outoffices, dark room (photography); rare offer.—N 1042, this office.

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HOUSE, Modern, for Sale, immediate possession, top Connaught street, Phibsborough; ground rent £3 10/-, valuation £20; drawingroom, diningroom, folding doors, 3 large bedrooms, bathroom, hot pipes, tiled kitchen, scullery, maid's room; concrete yard; bicycle house; perfect order; reasonable.—N 990, this office.

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LUCAN—Charming Detached House for Sale; possession; electric light, telephone, h.c. bath, garage, large garden, stocked fruit, vegetables, and vinery; tennis court; accommodation for horses, cows, etc.; minute from train; private treaty; no agents. Address "Z 982, House," this office. 27 C

MARGUERITE road—Vacant possession given of Modern 7 Roomed House; bathroom; nice suburban locality; long lease; rent £5 yearly.—N 521, this office. 25 A

MONKSTOWN—16 Trafalgar terrace; possession; choice position. Auction, 3rd May.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Westmoreland street. 7 26

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include "Abbotsford," 60 Kenilworth square. Choice detached House, with large gardens, 2 sittingrooms (tiled grates, marble mantels), 4 bedrooms, bath, breakfast parlour, etc.; greenhouse, fowl run, garage at rear; rear entrance; ground rent £5 15/-, lease 900 years. Cards to view from Auctioneers. Possession to purchaser. 27 C

MACARTHUR'S Auction, Friday next, 4th May, will include 26 Neville road, Rathgar, just off Highfield road; possession; neat House, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, bath, good gardens, side entrance; ground rent £8, lease 450 years. Keys with Auctioneers. 27 C

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NICE Plot of Ground, corner two streets, long lease, North side; suitable shops or any other purposes.—Nolan's, 110 Stephen's Green. 24 F

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

A FURNISHED House, North Circular road; £14 monthly.—N 1101, this office

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SMALL Furnished House to Let, Terenure district; no children; £10 monthly.—R O 1470, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 24 F

SMALL Furnished House, with garden, to Let; £8 monthly; South side.—R O 1492, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

TO Let, Furnished House, South suburbs; 6 rooms.—N 697, this office. 24 F

TO Let, nicely Furnished, House, containing five rooms and kitchen, electric light, gas cooker, bath, Leeson Park vicinity; close to three trams.—N 914, this office. 25 B

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A FURNISHED House Wanted, any part Dublin, one year or longer; terms must be moderate; no children; very careful tenant.—N 797, this office. 25 A

EXCEPTIONAL Tenant would like to Rent Unfurnished House, about five apartments, garden; key £30.—N 1132, this office. 27 C

FURNISHED House required for 12 months by careful family; state terms.—N 882, this office. 26 F

FURNISHED House Wanted from middle June, South side; state full particulars.—N 1083, this office. 27 A

HOUSE Wanted, to rent or buy, with plot of ground, 6 or more apartments, suburbs; must be moderate.—N 888, this office. 26 B

HOUSE, with Furniture, Wanted to Purchase, before 12th June.—N 1174, this office. 27 C

INCHICORE—Wanted to Purchase, small modern House, with possession.—N 1023, this office.

NORTH Circular road—Wanted, to purchase non basement House, close to Phoenix Park.—N 1044, this office. 27 A

WANTED to Rent by the year, Small Furnished House, with garden, on the outskirts of city, near chapel and good girls' school; moderate rent.—N 703, this office. 24 F

WANTED to Rent, small, well appointed, Modern House, good garden, open situation, South suburbs; rent about £120.—N 723, this office. 24 F

WANTED, small House or medium sized, Pembroke district or Dun Laoghaire; no children.—N 778, this office. 24 F

WANTED, to Purchase, House in Dublin City; 7 bedrooms, 2 sittingrooms, bath (h. and c.), in good repair and locality; price under £1,000. Address "Z 885 House," this office. 24 F

WANTED to rent by Civil Servant, small House or Self Contained Flat, city or suburbs, £1 weekly.—N 850, this office. 25 A

WANTED, small House or Cottage, with garden; South suburbs.—N 848, this office. 25 A

WANTED to rent, urgently, small Unfurnished House or self contained Flat, Fairview or Clontarf district preferably; young people, no children; highest references given.—N 829, this office. 25 A

WANTED, modern House, Rathgar, Pembroke, or sea line, about £1,000; early possession.—Arthur Jones, Agents, Greystones. 25 A

WANTED to Rent moderately sized House, with small garage; Dublin or suburbs. Full particulars to N 822, this office. 25 A

WANTED, within 5 miles of city, Unfurnished small House or Cottage, about £45 yearly; nice lodge would suit.—N 984, this office. 26 B

WANTED, House, price about £850, Rathgar, Ranelagh, Blackrock, Ballsbridge, Donnybrook districts.—N 1043, this office.

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£750 TO £950 offered for nice compact Modern House, in excellent repair, having all latest conveniences, and in nice, select locality, Clontarf, Phibsborough, or Glasnevin districts. Full particulars to N 918, this office. 25 F

APARTMENTS TO LET.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

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(b) Boot Shop, comprising shop, kitchen, bathroom, six family bedrooms, coal-house, store-house, garden 21 x 41.

P.S.—Purchasers will have the opportunity of buying each premises separately, or the whole three premises comprised in the lease, if so desired.

These Premises, known as the "Leinster Boot Company," with the private Dwellinghouse adjoining, are situated in the Main street, directly opposite the General Post Office, in which a most successful and lucrative business has been carried on by the late Mr. Grattan for nigh half a century, and deserves the attention of those requiring a good business premises in perfect repair, so favourably situated, and held under such a long lease at merely nominal rent in this progressive town.

Lot 2.—AN ANNUAL PROFIT RENT of £10 12/6, payable by Mrs. CATHERINE WALSH and Mr. DANIEL McAULIFFE, out of Houses and Premises Nos. 99 and 100 MAIN STREET, MARYBOROUGH, with Yard and Out-offices attached, held by Vendors from Lord de Vesci under lease dated 6th April, 1868, for a term of 61 years from 1st May, 1862, subject to the yearly rent of £12 12/6.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to HORACE TURPIN, Esq., Solicitor, Maryborough; or to

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THURSDAY NEXT, MAY 3RD.

AT OUR SALEROOMS, NO. 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK (UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

B. & CO. **DAME STREET PICTURE HOUSE,** MAY 3RD.

DAME STREET, DUBLIN, WITH FITTINGS AND APPOINTMENTS. CLEAR POSSESSION.

Built about 10 years ago, and fitted and equipped regardless of expense, and ready for immediate occupation. It has a frontage of about 21ft. and a depth of about 75ft., with seating capacity for about 300. Handsome entrance, booking office, lavatories, cloak room. The equipment comprises Erneman and Pathé moto driven projectors, motor generator, ticket machine, etc.

Held for about 40 years unexpired, subject to £350 per annum.

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CORNER OF OXMANTOWN ROAD, WITH POSSESSION.

A well-built, semi-detached Residence, containing entrance hall, 4 sitting and 5 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), w.c., tiled kitchen (c.r.), pantry, scullery (h. and c.); servant's room; garden in front, tradesmen's entrance, garden, greenhouse, w.c., and side entrance. The property is held for ever free of rent.

A special feature is the valuable frontage to Oxmantown road, suitable for erection of lock-up shops, for which plans have been prepared and passed by the Corporation. Photo at Auctioneers' Office.

Key at Cottage at rere.

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FOR SALE WITH POSSESSION.

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The entire held for ever subject to £41.

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VERY CONVENIENT. CHOICE POSITION. POSSESSION.

Contains 3 sitting and 3 bedrooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath (hot and cold), lavatory basin, garden, greenhouse, stable (which is let much under its value at £10 per annum). Seen on order to view.

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Messrs. H. T. DIX & SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street.

B. & CO. **69 HOLLYBANK ROAD, DRUMCONDRA,** MAY 3RD

MODERN. CONVENIENT. POSSESSION.

Contains hall, drawingroom, diningroom, folding doors, marble mantels; 3 bedrooms, bath and lavatory (h. and c.), w.c., kitchen (c.r.), copper cylinder, scullery, h. and c.; servant's room; garden front and rear, coal-house, w.c., rear entrance. Head rent £4. Lease 500 years.

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B. & CO. **131 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.** MAY 3RD.

A WELL-BUILT HOUSE, WITH POSSESSION.

Contains large hall, drawingroom, diningroom, marble mantels, folding doors, study, 3 bedrooms, breakfast room, bath (hot and cold), lavatory basin (hot and cold), servant's room, kitchen (c.r.), scullery, pantry, yard, servant's w.c., large garden, with fruit trees, side and rear entrance, electric light. Photo at Auctioneers.

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(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY)

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The Residence, which is in excellent order, occupies a well-chosen position amidst tastefully laid out grounds of 9 acres in a commanding elevation, with extensive views of surrounding country (sea and mountain air and scenery), approached by fine avenue. Gate entrance on tram line. The accommodation comprises—Lounge hall, 3 reception rooms, 5 family bedrooms, mahogany overmantels, and dressingroom, ample servants' accommodation; central heating throughout; garage, good out-offices; also two excellent paddocks. The well-timbered pleasure grounds include tennis lawn, flower and rose gardens, intersected by paths and walks; well-stocked kitchen garden, glass houses, &c. There are three gate lodges which, if let, would pay the head rent. Clear possession to purchaser.

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B. & CO. **PARKGATE HOUSE, NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD.** MAY 16TH.

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STABLING OR GARAGE AT REAR OF ABOVE.

Comprising harness room, man's room, lavatory, 4 loose boxes, coach-house and lofts, all in enclosed lock-up yard, with entrance to Infirmary road. Held for long lease, subject to nominal rent. Clear possession to purchaser. Photo.

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ALSO ON MAY 16TH—

3 SYDENHAM ROAD, DUNDRUM, WITH POSSESSION.
DANES' FORT, BAILY, HOWTH, WITH POSSESSION.
6 CLAREMONT VILLAS, GLENAGEARY, WITH POSSESSION.
CHARLEMONT BRIDGE WORKS, WITH POSSESSION.
21 EATON SQUARE, TERENURE, WITH POSSESSION.
461 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD, WITH POSSESSION.

N.B.—OTHER LOTS MAY BE INCLUDED.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.—FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

18 LEINSTER SQUARE, RATHMINES, TUESDAY, MAY 1ST.

ON VIEW MONDAY, 10 TO 5 O'CLOCK.

WE are instructed to SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, on the above date, AN IMPORTANT RESIDUE OF EXCELLENT FURNITURE, comprising as follows: Mahogany Cabinet Sideboard, with Mirror-panel Back; do. Pedestal Sideboard, do. Screw Dining Table, Mahogany-frame Chairs and Arm Chairs, Mahogany Pedestal Writing Tables, do. Roll-top Desk, do. Cabinet Bookcase, Filing Cabinet, Walnut Mirror-panel Cabinet, do. Whatnots, Mahogany Marble-top Hall Table and Chairs; do. Grandfather Clock, by Sharp, Dublin; Tapestry and Cloth Curtains, New Axminster Stair Carpet, Gilt-frame Mirrors, Pictures and Oil Paintings, Mahogany Three-door Wardrobe, do. Duchess Pair, do. Chest of Drawers, Satin Walnut Suite, All-Brass and Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Table Glass and China; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Spring Mangle; also an American Range. On SALE 12 O'CLOCK. On View Monday, 10 to 5 o'clock. Admission 1/-.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE BY AUCTION.

YNAPTON, MONKSTOWN, TUESDAY, MAY 29TH, AND FOLLOWING DAY, HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

WE are favoured with instructions from the Executors of the late Sir James Murphy, Bart., TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, the Furniture and Effects of the Residence, comprising as follows—Boudoir Grand Piano (Collard and Collard), Marquetry, Satin Wood, and Inlaid Mahogany Cabinets; Marquetry and Satin Wood Pedestals, Chesterfield Sofa and Divan Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany Occasional Chairs, Tapestry Screens, Engravings and Water Colours, Gilt Frame Mantel Mirrors, Venetian Mirrors, Ornamental China, Brass Fire Furniture, Tapestry and Shadow Tissue Curtains, Axminster, Indian, and Turkey Carpets; Sheraton Sideboard, with Brass Rail Back; do. shaped Front Sideboard, Oak and Mahogany Chairs in Leather, Mahogany Economy Dining Table, do. Glass Door Large Bookcase, Pair Bronze Marli Horses, Carved Oak Bookcases, Small Library of Books, Mahogany Wardrobes, Walnut, Birch, and Enamelled Bedroom Furniture; Satin Walnut, Mahogany, and Enamelled and Brass Bedsteads, Inlaid Linoleum, &c.; Carved Oak Hall Bench, Sheraton Case; Grandfather Clock, with Brass Dial; Barograph, Set of Chimes, Plated Ware, Fine Quality Table Glass and China, Bohemian Glass, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Baldwin Cabinet Refrigerator, Outdoor Effects, and a choice collection of Greenhouse Plants.

On view day previous, 10 to 4 o'clock. Admission to view and Sale by Card, price 1/. Terms Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

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WEDNESDAY, 16TH MAY, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK, IN SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

78 HARCOURT STREET

(ADJOINING STANDARD HOTEL).

(PER INSTRUCTIONS OF OWNER).

Substantial City Residence, containing spacious stone entrance hall, 4 reception rooms, return room, lounge, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, 3 w.c.'s; stone steps leading to spacious basement; good rear, with coach-house and stable, out-offices, etc. Suit Doctor, Dentist, Nursing Home, Students' Hostel, Hotel, or Boardinghouse, Residential Flats, etc., etc.

Held under lease for 999 years from 25th March, 1853, subject to the yearly rent of £19 17/2, adjusted to £19 4/3.

Part of the Premises were sub-let by former lessee. The Vendor has not acknowledged the tenancies, an' the purchaser will have the choice of taking over these tenancies or the benefit of a decree for clear possession. There are very valuable marble mantelpieces, and the ceilings are most artistic. There is a very nice outlook at rear into Lord Iveagh's grounds.

For further particulars apply to

E. WHITE, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 16 Molesworth street; or to the AUCTIONEERS.

SEMI-DETACHED. POSSESSION.

141 LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

Commodious Dwellinghouse, situated on the best part of this favourite road, containing 2 sittingrooms (folding doors), 5 bedrooms, kitchen, breakfast room, scullery (h. and c.), larder, maid's room, coal cellar, bath (h. and c.), 2 w.c.'s; very long gardens (double width); also nice private enclosed front; garage, side entrance, tool and other out-houses.

Held under lease or sub-lease for 81 years from 25th March, 1889, subject to the yearly rent of £8. Valuation £54. Key with AUCTIONEERS.

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SUITABLE FOR SHOP OR PRIVATE RESIDENCE.

Detached Residence, containing reception room, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), tiled kitchen, close range, copper cylinder, scullery, good gardens, with fruit trees; also summerhouse, wood and tool-houses; large roofed fowl run. Convenient situation close to Broadstone Station and tram line.

Held for ever, subject to only £3 per annum. POSSESSION.

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Convenient Cottage Residence, containing 7 good rooms, bathroom (h. and c.); good garden, greenhouse, side entrance, stable at rear (entrance from Synge street). Premises are in good order, and the purchaser can have clear possession.

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ON VIEW THIS DAY (SATURDAY)—SALE NEXT MONDAY.

FURNITURE, PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS, &c.

(REMOVED TO AUCTION ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE).

THOMAS GARLAND has received instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, AT 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY, at the hour of ONE O'CLOCK PRECISELY,

ON NEXT MONDAY, 30TH APRIL,

A LARGE COLLECTION OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS; ALSO THE CONTENTS OF A HIGH-CLASS PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO.

THE FURNITURE, &c., will comprise: Inlaid Walnut Bedroom Suite, with Burr Walnut Panels, and Mirror-door Wardrobe; Carved Walnut Bedroom Suite, with Mirror-door Wardrobe; Mahogany Chest of Drawers; 9-piece Walnut Diningroom Suite, in Leather; Walnut Sideboard, with Mirror Back; Shaped-top and Inlaid Occasional Tables, Office Tables, Oak Settees, Gilt and Walnut Overmantels; Singer Cabinet Sewing Machine; Majolica-style Pedestal and Jardinieres; Wool Rugs, Linoleum; Full-compass Cottage Piano, in Rosewood, by George Rogers;

ALMOST NEW NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, COST £120;

TYPEWRITERS, &c., &c.

THE CONTENTS OF PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO will include: Costly Studio Camera, with adjustable stand, Kodak Dry Mounter, Cutting Machine, Oak Display Cabinet, Show Cases, Developing Tanks; Flash Light Setting, with Electric Fittings, Backgrounds, &c., &c. NOTE.—THE ABOVE PROPERTY WILL BE ON VIEW AT AUCTION ROOMS ON THIS DAY (SATURDAY), from 10 to 4; and on MONDAY NEXT, from 10 o'clock until hour of Sale, One o'clock sharp. Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Fees.

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PROPERTY AUCTION, FRIDAY NEXT, 4TH MAY.

ABBOTSFORD, 60 KENILWORTH SQUARE. VACANT POSSESSION.

DETACHED, WITH LARGE GARDENS. Two-storeyed over basement on the level, with bow windows, drawingroom, diningroom, with folding doors; tiled grates, marble mantelpieces; electric light throughout; 4 good bedrooms, lavatory, bath, hot and cold; wash basin, hot press, copper boiler, copper cylinder, large tiled kitchen, close range, gas cooker, wash trough, two pantries, coalhouse; breakfast parlour; large garden in rear, with greenhouse, naturally heated, containing black Hamburgh and other vines, fig and other trees, Tomato plants, pear, apple, and loganberry trees; large tiled conservatory, fowl run, good stable, or garage, with double gate entrance. Ground rent, £5 15/-. Lease 900 years. SEEN ANY TIME AFTER 3 O'CLOCK ON ORDERS TO VIEW FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

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26 NEVILLE ROAD, RATHGAR. VACANT POSSESSION. —JUST OFF HIGHFIELD ROAD.

Modern Two-storeyed Residence, with bow window; 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bath (hot and cold), wash-basin kitchen (close range), electric light, scullery, gas; large gardens front and rear, with side entrance. SEEN ANY TIME. CARETAKER ON THE PREMISES, AND KEYS WITH THE AUCTIONEERS. The blinds, stair and hall lino, and brass rods will be included in the Sale. Ground rent £6. Lease 450 years.

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37 MORNINGTON ROAD, RANELAGH. VACANT POSSESSION. —NEAT MODERN HOUSE;

Sittingroom, kitchen (close range), scullery, pantries, 3 large bedrooms; garden front and rear, with back entrance; lavatory, and coalhouse. Ground rent, £2 10/. Lease 900 years. CAN BE SEEN ANY TIME. KEYS WITH CARETAKER at 47 LOWER BEECHWOOD AVENUE (close by). Full particular and Conditions of Sale can be had from the AUCTIONEERS, or from

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Antique and Useful Furniture, Jewellery, Pearl Necklace of Beautiful Design, Diamond and Pearl Brooch, Gold Bangles and Trinkets, Tea and Coffee Services, and various other Silver Articles.

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Massive Mirrored Mahog. Sideboard, richly carved Oak Recess Cabinet, Pillar Sideboard, Mahog. Diningroom Chairs, Easy Chairs and Couch, in leather; 12 Diningroom Chairs, in leather; 6 Walnut Chairs and Couch, in ruby velvet; Telescope Dining Table, Oak Dining Table, Ebonised Drawingroom China Cabinet, Inlaid, Oval, Octogan Drawingroom Tables, Davenport Writing Tables, Mahog. Bookcase, Books, large Gilt Mirrors, Dinner Waggon, Occasional and other Drawingroom Tables and Chairs; Pair Black and Gold Recess China Cabinets, Music Waggon; Wicker Chairs, Side Tables, Music Stand, Arm Chairs, large Hair Stuffed Couch, Grandfather Chair; Belgium Vases, Bohemian Vase Set, Cut Glass, Decorative and other China; Green and Gold Fruit Service, Jap Afternoon Tea and Coffee Services; various Ornaments; Oil Paintings, Engravings, Pictures; various Electro-plated Articles; Pillar and Wall Oil Lamps, Vases; Table Linen, Paisley Shawl, Cushions, heavy Tapestry Black and Gold and other Curtains; Drawingroom, Diningroom and Stair Carpets, Rugs, large Hall Matting; Cut Brass Fender Requisites, Steel Bar and other Fenders, Coal Vases; 4-fold Screen, Religious Statues and Pictures, Book Press, Office Clock, Sewing Machine; Bentwood Chairs, Jardinieres and Plants, Wire Flower Stand, Primus Stove; Scales and Weights; 2 Hall Suspension Lamps; various Bedroom Suites, Mahog. and other Washstands, Wardrobes, Rails; Dressing Tables, Commodes, Chests Drawers, Toilet Mirrors; Trunk Stands; Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Hair and Wire Mattresses, Bedding; Miscellaneous Linen, Blankets, Linen Press; Set of Stone Mason Toilet Ware; complete Hall Suite, Bench and Stand, in carved oak; Hall Pictures, Umbrella Stand; usual Kitchen Furniture, Dresser, Tables, Chairs, Culinary Utensils; Plate Rack, Mangle, etc.

ON VIEW 22nd MAY, 10 to 4 O'CLOCK. ADMISSION, CARDS, 1/-.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

PROPERTY AUCTION, FRIDAY, 25TH MAY, 1923.

"ST. KILDA," DUBLIN ROAD, SUTTON. VACANT POSSESSION.

15, 17, 19 ST. JAMES'S AVENUE, CLONLIFFE ROAD.

OTHER LOTS CAN BE INCLUDED.

MACARTHUR & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 79 TALBOT STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 10TH MAY, AT 1.15 P.M., IN OUR SALEROOMS, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.

No. 52 LOWER LEESON STREET.

HANDSOME TOWN RESIDENCE.

WE are instructed by MRS. BALL to OFFER THE ABOVE HANDSOME SEMI-DETACHED TOWN RESIDENCE FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

The Residence is choicely situated, looking down Fitzwilliam place, at the corner of Adelaide road, and close to Leeson street Bridge. It is solidly built, and contains 4 fine reception rooms, 8 bedrooms, maids' rooms, bathroom, fine kitchen; large garden and splendid stabling. It is well suited either for a private or professional residence or hotel. It is held under two Leases—one for 999 years from 1834, at the rent of 5/-; and the other for ever from 1838, subject to £10 2s. 4d. per annum. POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN TO THE PURCHASER.

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ANGLESEA HOUSE, 63 CARYSFORT AVENUE, BLACKROCK.

FOR SALE, WITH POSSESSION, SEMI-DETACHED NON-BASEMENT HOUSE, five minutes from train and tram, newly decorated, and containing 3 reception rooms, 4 family bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, h. and c. bath, 2 w.c.'s, pantry; large garden, side entrance, with fowl-house and workshop. Head rent £7. Lease 900 years. Valuation £36. Conditions of Sale from

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Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

No. 35 HOLLYBANK AVENUE,

SANDFORD ROAD, CLONSKEAGH.

A BRIGHT, SMALL, MODERN HOUSE, two-storeyed, WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, hot bath, tiled kitchen, electric light; garden. Head rent, £3. Lease 400 years. Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

EXTENSIVE AND VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, 56, 57, & 58 LOWER BAGGOT STREET

(LATE DENEHEY'S COACH FACTORY).

WE have received instructions to OFFER THE ABOVE EXTENSIVE PREMISES FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, WITH VACANT POSSESSION. They comprise large Ground-floor Warerooms, with wide frontage and good depth; there is a large yard at the rear, with back entrance. Over the warerooms is extensive accommodation, served by two large lifts. The Premises are eminently suitable for a Motor Factory, Showrooms, or, indeed, any business requiring extensive accommodation.

THE DWELLINGHOUSE, No. 56, IS VACANT, and A SMALL COTTAGE at the side is let at £10 per annum. The premises are held under two Leases—one at £90 per annum for 99 years from 1852, the other at £90 per annum for 64 years from 1887; the landlord pays all rates and taxes under this Lease. The First, Second, and third Floors are admirably suited for conversion into Residential Flats, approached from the dwellinghouse No. 56. Seven complete Flats could be had at a very moderate expenditure. Three large Shops could also be put in front, leaving large Warehouse area at back, with side entrance.

ORDERS TO VIEW THE PROPERTY can be had on application to the AUCTIONEERS.

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WAREHOUSE, CONTAINING 4 FLOORS, IN FRENCHMAN'S LANE,

OFF GARDINER STREET (BEHIND BERESFORD PLACE).

Indemnified against all rent, in a most central position, convenient to North Wall. Most substantially built, the floors being capable of taking heavy goods. Hoist to top floor worked by 19 h.p. gas engine.

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DOCKRELL LIMITED, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

SALES THIS DAY.

SALE BY AUCTION TO-DAY (SATURDAY), AND, IN CONTINUATION, ON MONDAY NEXT.

MESSRS. JAMES HILL and SON, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK, beg to announce that they will hold, in THEIR ROOMS, as above, A HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE AUCTION OF AN IMMENSE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES, CARPETS, &c.,

Removed per instructions from the Executors of the late MISS OLIVIA HAMILTON STUBBER, DURROW, QUEEN'S COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER ACCOUNTS.

Comprising principally: Superior German Overstrung Iron-frame Cottage Pianoforte, in Walnut Case, by Sucker, Leipsig; two other Sweet-toned Pianofortes, by eminent makers; Argyle Landaulette, 16/20 h.p., in perfect running order, Engine recently overhauled; Baldwin Refrigerator; Dutch Antique Rosewood Inlaid Bureau Secretaire; Set of six Empire Cane-seated Chairs, Inlaid with Brass; Antique Rosewood Inlaid Card Table, Mahogany Inlaid Falling-leaf Table, Mahogany Chippendale Wine Table, Sheraton Inlaid Washstand, Sheraton Inlaid Corner China Cabinet, Cabinet Gramophone, two beautiful Mahogany Ebonised Inlaid and Ormolu-mounted French China Cabinets; another Walnut Inlaid do., with Mirror Back; 2ft. 6in. Sheraton Bureau, two superior Oak Roll-top Desks; 12 valuable old Oil Paintings; Set of six Papier-mache Chairs, Inlaid with Mother-of-Pearl; handsome 5ft. Sheraton-style China Cabinet; high-class Seven-piece Mahogany Inlaid Drawingroom Settee Suite, in Tapestry; Oak-case Grandfather Clock; superior Eight-piece Oak-framed Panel-back Dining Suite, Chairs with Loose Seats, Upholstered in Leather; 8ft. Oak Sideboard, with lofty Mirror Back; another massive Mahogany Richly-Carved do.; several other Mahogany, Oak, and Walnut Enclosed and Pedestal Sideboards, with and without Glass Backs; Cabinets and Chiffoniers; a very fine 7ft. Mahogany Break-front Mirror-door Wardrobe; Mahogany Pedestal Dressing Table, with Centre Mirror and Mahogany Duchess Marble-top Washstand en suite; Chesterfield Settees, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Mahogany Falling-leaf and Card Tables; Parlour Tables, on Pillar and Claw; several Spanish Mahogany, Walnut, and Oak Telescope Screw Dining Tables, in sizes from 6ft. to 15ft. long; Sets of Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs. BEDROOM FURNISHINGS include: Eight Bedroom Suites, various sizes and designs, in Mahogany, Dark and Satin Walnut, Oak, and Stained Woods; handsome Overmantel Glasses, in Gilt, Mahogany, Walnut, and Oak Frames; All-Brass, Black and Brass, and Mahogany Bedsteads, with Woven-wire Springs and Hair Mattresses; Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets; Single and Double Mahogany and other Wardrobes, Presses, Dressing Tables, Washstands, Towel Rails, Toilet Glasses, Toilet Ware; Kitchen and Deal Furniture—Dressers, Mangles, Tables, Chairs, Fokes, Pans, Saucepans, and Culinary Utensils; Perambulators, Go-Cars, Sewing Machines, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Bicycles; China, Glass, Plated Ware; Typewriters; about 300 Army Blankets, Linen Sheets, and Miscellaneous Effects. Auction commences ONE p.m. prompt each day. Purchasers pay Five per cent. Fees.

Pianos and Superior Furniture Sold at 3 p.m.

JAMES HILL & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 10, 11, 12 Bachelor's Walk.

(MEMBERS OF THE IRISH AUCTIONEERS' AND ESTATE AGENTS' ASSOCIATION.)

ON VIEW TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NEXT.

"ST. HELENA," 57 EGLINTON ROAD, DUBLIN.

WILLIAM MONTGOMERY and SON are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THURSDAY & FRIDAY NEXT, 3RD AND 4TH MAY, 1923, AT 12 O'CLOCK EACH DAY,

THE ENTIRE FURNITURE OF THE RESIDENCE, comprising:—

STECK "BOUDOIR" GRAND PIANOLA PIANO AND RECORDS, PRACTICALLY NEW AND IN PERFECT ORDER; ÆOLIAN VOCALION CABINET GRAMOPHONE AND 3 ALBUMS OF H.M.V. and other RECORDS; PAIR LOUIS PERIOD GILT ELBOW CHAIRS, QUEEN ANNE WALL MIRROR, NELSON "WIG" CABINET, ADAPTED AS WRITING TABLE; CHIPPENDALE 2-DOOR CORNER CABINET, CARVED MAHOGANY ENCLOSED CURIO CABINET, FRENCH ORMOLU CASE CLOCK, Finely Upholstered Chesterfield Settees and Easy Chairs en suite; Set of Eight 2-Elbow Chippendale-style Chairs, very fine Oval-End Mahogany Dining Table, four spare leaves; Pair important Easy Chairs, covered in fine Morocco leather, almost new; Chippendale Bookcase and Secretaire, Carved Georgian Sideboard, Enclosed Writing Desk and Drawers; GILT CONVEX MIRROR, ADAPTED FOR ELECTRICITY; Antique Large Deep-toned Chinese Gong, on Carved Mahogany Stand; Old Sheffield Plate, Cut Glass and Oriental Dishes, finely Carved Hall Table and Mirror.

The Auctioneers beg to draw particular attention to the following items of Special Local Interest in the Sale:—

SET OF 4 COLOURED PRINTS, VIEWS OF DUBLIN, BY T. S. ROBERTS, FULL MARGINS, ENGRAVED BY HAVELL; SET OF 12 ORIGINAL PRINTS, BY HINCKS, OF THE LINEN MANUFACTURE; COLOURED PRINT OF THE G.P.O., DUBLIN, BY JONES; TWO SETS OF 11 AND 12 AND THREE SEPARATE COLOURED PRINTS OF DUBLIN, BY BROCAS; FULL SET OF 25 COLOURED VIEWS OF DUBLIN, BY MALTON, BELIEVED FIRST IMPRESSIONS, TOGETHER WITH DESCRIPTIVE BOOK, ALL SUITABLY FRAMED AND IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.

Inlaid Mahogany and Oak Bedroom Suites, Chippendale Wardrobe and Drawers; Wilton (Persian pattern) and Axminster Floor and Stair Carpets; Table Glass and China; Iron Safe and Stand, Outdoor Effects.

Admission to View and Sale by Card only, price one shilling each, which will be refunded to purchasers.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

BALBRIGGAN LIVE STOCK SALE, TUESDAY NEXT, MAY 1st, 1923, At 12 o'clock.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD., Auctioneers, Valuers, and Live Stock Salesmen, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN. Telephone 4240. Wires—Bullocks, Dublin.

SALE OF FREEHOLD PROPERTY BY PRIVATE TREATY.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE and 42 ACRES of LAND, near Dundalk.

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, with about 150 ACRES RICH LAND, near Middleton, Co. Armagh.

VALUABLE LICENSED PREMISES, BOOT and PROVISION BUSINESS, town of Fintona, Co. Tyrone.

Particulars, apply to JOHN McCANN (F.A.I.) & SON, Court Auctioneers and Estate Agents, AUGHNACLOY.

IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE

SALE OF RESIDENTIAL FARM OF PRIME FATTENING LAND, RATOATH, COUNTY MEATH.

PATRICK O'CONNOR and SON, LTD., are favoured with instructions from M. P. MORAN, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR ESTATE SALEROOMS, 49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN, on NEXT THURSDAY, 3rd MAY, at 1.30 o'clock, ALL THE INTEREST AND GOODWILL IN HIS FARM, as above, containing 177 ACRES, Statute Measure, held subject to the moderate Land Purchase Annuity of £142 10s. 2d. P.L. Valuation, £147 10s. 0d. The equities have been discharged.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS

THESE LANDS, which have at present an abundance of keep on them, are all in grass of the very richest quality, capable of finishing the heaviest cattle coming to Dublin Market. They are divided into convenient divisions, each of which has an unfailing water supply, well sheltered and exceptionally well fenced. There is a complete system of drainage throughout the Farm, which the Owner has spared no expense in making a model of its kind.

THE DWELLINGHOUSE is a commodious one, two-storey, stone and brick built and slated, consisting of drawingroom, breakfast room, 3 bedrooms, dressingroom, bathroom (h. and c. water), servant's room, linen press, kitchen, with close range and boiler (h. and c. w.), pantry, modern dairy, beautifully fitted with slate bed; scullery, h. and c. w. The Dwellinghouse has been recently modernised, and is at present in a most perfect state of decoration, fitted throughout with modern grates, tiled hearths, and electric bells. There is a very neat tiled entrance porch to the residence, with tastefully planted lawn in front and large vegetable garden. The water supply is on the most up-to-date principle, and is fitted with two large tanks, force and hand pumps. The entire drainage has recently been laid down, and is on the most up-to-date modern hygienic principle. Taken all together, the Residence is one of the finest ever offered in the County Meath, and the property as a whole, situated only 12 miles from Dublin, and adjoining the village of Ratoath, where there are all places of worship, excellent schools, postal and telegraph facilities—is, without exception, one of the outstanding properties in the whole county. A sum of over £4,000 has recently been expended by the Owner on the entire reconstruction and decoration of the residence, out-offices, etc., and its acquisition should demand very keen competition, and prove a most desirable and lucrative investment.

N.B.—By previous arrangement with the Auctioneers, a portion of the Purchase Money can be allowed to outstand on the security of the property at a moderate rate of interest.

For all further particulars, Conditions of Sale, and Cards to View the Property, apply to Messrs. WM. MOONEY and SON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 16 Fleet street; or to THE AUCTIONEERS.

GRAZING LAND TO LET.

5 Acres, Kimmage; 43 and 16 Acres at Finglas; 41 and 25 Acres, Santry; 6 and 8 Acres at Templeogue; 26, Tallaght; 50 Acres, Clondalkin; 39 Acres, Dundrum; 26 Acres, Rathfarnham; 15 Acres, Shankill.

PATRICK O'CONNOR & SON, LTD., AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, CATTLE, SHEEP, & WOOL SALESMEN, 49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF CHARMING DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCE, MAYNOOTH

(WITH VACANT POSSESSION).

MESSRS. PATRICK O'CONNOR and SON, LTD., WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN, on THURSDAY, the 24th MAY, 1923, at 1.30 o'clock (if not previously disposed of by Private Treaty),

THE DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCE KNOWN AS GERALDINE,

also known as the RED HOUSE, situate on the road leading from the town of Maynooth to the Railway Station. The House is substantially built of red brick, and contains the following accommodation: 3 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, dressingroom, and servant's room, bath (hot and cold water), conservatory off diningroom.

THE OUT-OFFICES consist of stables, coach-house, with loft, and motor house, the whole standing on about 1 Acre.

Held under Duke of Leinster Estate Lease for 99 years from 1901, at the yearly rent of £10. All in splendid order.

VACANT POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN TO THE PURCHASER.

For further particulars, Conditions of Sale, and Orders to View, apply to

PATRICK O'CONNOR & SON, LTD., AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS, ETC., 49 QUEEN STREET, DUBLIN.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TUESDAY, 8TH MAY.

22 HIGHFIELD ROAD, RATHGAR. — CLEAR POSSESSION.—

SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE, RED BRICK FRONT, side entrance, tiled porch; three reception rooms, butler's pantry, with hot water; four family bedrooms, two servants' rooms, hot and cold bath, two w.c.'s; cloakroom, with lavatory basin; tiled kitchen, tiled passage, pantries, etc.; large garden front and rear. A sound, well-built structure, in a choice residential situation. Held for a long term, and Sold indemnified against head rent.

JUSTIN MacCARTHY and CO., Solicitors, 19 Upper Merrion street.

FURNITURE SALES.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 3RD MAY.

RED HOUSE, KILLINEY. FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

JAMES H. NORTH and CO., have been instructed to SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including:—Ebonised and Gold and Ormolu-mounted Burr Walnut China Cabinets, Chesterfield Settee, Lounge, Easy, and Occasional Chairs; Inlaid Oval and Card Tables, Bookcases and Books; Gilt and other Overmantels, Pair of Gilt Three-light Candelabra; Oil Paintings, Engravings, and Pictures; Buhl Clock, Inlaid Pedestal Writing Table, Couches, Glass Fire Screens and Fire Sets; Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, Set of 12 Mahogany Dining Chairs, Sarcophagus, Circular Mahogany and Falling-leaf Tables; Carpets, Suites of Curtains, Linoleum, large Regulator Clock, Mahogany Cabinet, Sheffield Plated Candlesticks, Salvers, etc.; Plated Ware and Cutlery; several Pairs of Coalport Vases, Plaques, and Ornaments; Dinner Sets and Tea Sets, China and Glassware, etc., etc.; Mahogany Three-part and other Wardrobes, Duchesse Toilet Tables and Wash Stands, Commodes, Chests of Drawers, etc.; the Contents of five Bedrooms, including All-brass and other Beds, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding. Outdoor Effects include—Garden Seats, Chairs, Barrows, Lawn Mowers, Roller, Garden Pedestals, Greenhouse Plants, Tools, etc.

ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS, from 10 to 5.

TUESDAY, 8TH MAY.

IONA, 12 SYDNEY PARADE AVENUE. HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

JAMES H. NORTH and CO., HAVING SOLD THE PREMISES, have been further instructed to SELL THE FURNITURE and EFFECTS: Cottage Pianoforte, by Collard and Collard; Italian Carved Drawingroom Suite, Chesterfield Settees, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Music Cabinet, Inlaid Mahogany Chairs and Table, Brass Fire Sets, Inlaid Coal Cabinets; Suites of Lace and Heavy Curtains; Mahogany Dinner Wagon, Mahogany Writing Table, Walnut Enclosed Sideboard, with mirror back; Telescope Dining Table, Sets of Dining Chairs; Axminster and other Carpets and Stair Carpeting; Singer Sewing Machine, Paintings and Pictures, Inlaid Davenport; Turkey Rugs, Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, Mahogany Duchesse Pairs, Mahogany Wardrobes, Chests Drawers, Mahogany and Brass Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, and the usual Bedroom Furniture; Hall Stand, Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Mangles, Chairs, and Culinary Utensils; Forcing Frames, Greenhouse Plants, Lawn Mowers, Garden Tools, Garden Seats, etc., etc. ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS, from 10 to 5.

SALE, THURSDAY, 10TH MAY.

NEWSTEAD, CLONSKEAGH. FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

JAMES H. NORTH and CO., HAVING SOLD THE PREMISES, will SELL THE REMAINING FURNITURE, including:—Two Antique Couches, Sheraton Inlaid Cabinet, Mahogany Tables, Bookcases, large Linen Press, of antique pattern; Oak Tallboy Chest of Drawers, Stair and other Carpetings; Easy Chairs, Walnut Davenport, Diamond-door Press, Set of Economy Tables; Blinds and Poles; Engravings and Pictures, Books; Fenders and Fire Irons, Occasional Chairs and Tables; Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses, Chests of Drawers and Bedroom Furniture; Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Chairs, and Culinary Utensils, Churn and Dairy Utensils; Pony Cart, Wheel Barrows, Lawn Mowers, Ladders, Garden Tools, Forcing Frames, Garden Seats, Greenhouse Plants, etc.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TOWN OF BALLINAMALLARD.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF VALUABLE FARM OF LAND AND HOUSE PROPERTY.

WE have been favoured with instructions from Joseph B. G. Ball, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION (if not previously disposed of), on THURSDAY, 3rd MAY, 1923, at Two o'clock p.m., his Interest in and to all that Valuable Property, which he holds as under:—

LOT 1—All that Valuable Farm of Land situated in the townland of SALLOON, Rural District of Irvinestown, containing 44a. 0r. 20p., or thereabouts, Statute measure, held under Fee Farm Grant, subject to £15 9/4 per year, being the proportion of the head rent payable out of those Lands, and also subject to a tithe rent charge of £1 19/- per year; Gov. Val. £45 10/-. There is also a large supply of good turbary, free, convenient to the Holding, particulars of which will be given at Sale.

LOT 2—Two-storey Dwellinghouse, with yard and garden attached, situated in the main street, free of rent; Gov. Val. £2; at present let as a monthly tenancy, at a remunerative figure; also comfortable Cottage, with yard and garden attached, situated in the main street, free of rent; Gov. Val. £1 15/-; at present occupied by Mr. James Armstrong.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

This Valuable Farm adjoins the town of Ballinamallard, being intersected by the main road to Irvinestown. It is well fenced, watered and sheltered, and is in the pink of condition, being excellently farmed, and is admittedly the best of its size in the district for either Tillage or Grazing. About 8 Acres are already laid down in Oats, and 15 Acres in permanent Meadow, capable of bearing very heavy Crops, the remainder being under Grass. Two small portions are let as a yearly tenancy, particulars of which will be given at Sale.

The Houses, which are within one minute's walk of the Lands, are in good order, and would be suitable as Dwellinghouse and caretaker's Cottage, and will be offered together, with Farm, as one Lot if desired.

The whole Property being situated in one of the most prosperous and peaceable districts in the North of Ireland, convenient to Churches, Schools, Creamery and Railway Station, offers a splendid opportunity to intending purchasers of acquiring a really valuable investment.

Proposals will be received by the undersigned up to day of Sale.

TERMS—A deposit of one-fourth of the purchase money, with 5 per cent. commission on purchaser being declared, balance on completion.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

J. & R. L. SPENCE, Auctioneers, Shipping Agents, etc., CLONELLY, PETTIGO and KESH.

KESH, CO. FERMANAGH.

SALE OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, STORES, AND PORTION OF LAND.

WE have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, On TUESDAY, 15th MAY, 1923, At 2 o'clock p.m.,

All those extensive Premises comprising Shop and Stores, lately occupied by Kesh Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd. For particulars apply to

J. & R. L. SPENCE, AUCTIONEERS, Etc.

BOYLE, CO. ROSCOMMON.

P. C. P. MacDERMOTT, Esq., has instructed the undersigned Auctioneer to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the COURTHOUSE, BOYLE, on the 2nd MAY, 1923, at 2 o'clock p.m., his charming TWO-STOREY RESIDENCE, known as "ROCKMOUNT," situate on an ideal site in the suburbs of Boyle.

The House contains: Drawingroom, diningroom, breakfast room, four large airy bedrooms, servant's room, kitchen, scullery, pantry, and dairy. Enclosed yard, with suitable range of out-offices.

The house stands on 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches, has tastefully laid-out shrubbery, flower and vegetable gardens, fully stocked.

Electric light throughout, and perfect sanitary arrangements.

The property is held in fee-simple, subject to the small half-yearly annuity of £1 8/-, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

The Vendor will offer for sale on the same day a valuable Grazing Farm of 23½ Statute Acres, situate within a quarter of a mile of Boyle Railway Station. Half-yearly annuity £10 9/-, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

Terms—Purchaser to pay one-fourth purchase money at time of sale, together with 5 per cent. auction fees; balance on completion.

For further particulars apply to ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors for Vendor, 5 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin; or to

PARNELL BEALIN, AUCTIONEER, BOYLE.

COUNTY KILDARE.

SALE OF PRIME FARM, WITH RESIDENCE, EXTENSIVE OUT-OFFICES, AND COTTAGE, AT BLAKESTOWN, LEIXLIP.

MESSRS. PATRICK SMITH and SON are favoured with instructions from J. Meleady, Esq.,

TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, At the SALEROOMS of Messrs. BATTERSBY and CO., 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN (with their kind permission),

On THURSDAY, 3rd day of MAY, 1923, At the hour of 2.30 o'clock p.m. (New Time),

All the Estate and Interest of the Vendor in all that Part of the Lands of Blakestown, containing 99a. 3r. 1p., Statute measure, or thereabouts, and held in fee-simple, subject to terminable annuities of £72 12/2, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £108 10/-.

The Lands, which are all under grass, with about five acres of new meadows, are situate within half a mile from Leixlip Station, two miles from Maynooth, and ten miles from Dublin, and are laid out in convenient sized divisions, which are well watered and sheltered.

The Residence is a compact, two-storeyed Slated Building, and contains 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, with close range and pantry.

The Out-offices, which are commodious, comprise 20 boxes in one yard, covered with galvanized iron and sheeted inside. There are also two cattle sheds, barn, fowl house, hay shed, and five horse stables.

There is also a Cottage containing 3 apartments. In the yard is a good pump.

Terms—One-fourth of the purchase money, together with £5 per cent. Auction Fees, to be paid at Sale; balance on completion, when immediate possession can be given.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. MURPHY and MALLINS, Solicitors, 33 Kildare street, Dublin; or to

PATRICK SMITH & SON, Auctioneers, Valuers, and Live Stock Salesmen, NAVAN.

RATHWADE, BAGNALSTOWN, CO. CARLOW.

CHOICE RESIDENTIAL HOLDING, 95 STATUTE ACRES, FREE OF RENT FOR EVER.

Situated about two miles from Bagnalstown. FOR SALE.

ROBERT BELL has been instructed by the Owner, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at his OFFICE, COLLEGE STREET, CARLOW, on MONDAY, APRIL 30th, 1923, at 12 o'clock (summer time), the valuable Interest in part of the Lands of Rathwade, Bagnalstown, Co. Carlow, containing 95 Acres, Statute, with the Residence and Out-offices; held for ever; free of rent; P.L.V. £133.

The Residence is a modern, well-built structure, containing 3 reception and 4 family bedrooms, bath, w.c.'s, and the usual domestic offices and servants' rooms. Good water supply and excellent sanitation.

Extensive Out-offices, all in thorough order, with enclosed garden, tennis court and pleasure grounds.

Lands are of prime Grazing quality, portion of which—about 46 Acres—is Let, the terms for which expire not later than March 25th, 1924. Purchaser will be entitled to the rents accruing from same, viz.—£113.

The remainder of the Lands, with the House and Premises, are on hands, and purchaser can have Possession upon completion.

For further particulars, Terms and Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. JAMES POE and SON, Solicitors, Kilkenny; or

ROBERT BELL, AUCTIONEER, CARLOW.

CO. WICKLOW.

CREAMERY FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

HASKINS BROS., have received instructions from Mr. T. Lenehan, to SELL BY AUCTION on WEDNESDAY, 9th MAY, on the Premises, at Burndarrig, midway Wicklow and Arklow, at 2.30 o'clock, fully-equipped Creamery, all latest appliances, including combined churn, Westphalian and Perfect Separators; also Crushing Mill, with exception of small outlay for boiler; all in perfect order. The Creamery has not been working for some time, but there is a great opening and prospect for milk, it being the best producing part of Co. Wicklow; attached there is a comfortable 5-apartment Dwelling and Out-offices; 2 gardens, all standing on about 1r. 26p. held in fee-simple, free from all rent for ever.

Further particulars apply to Mr. J. H. McCARRON, Solicitor, Wicklow; or to

HASKINS BROS., Auctioneers, WICKLOW.

FOR CONTINUATION OF AUCTIONS AND HOUSES AND LANDS SEE PAGE 11.

79 HIGHFIELD ROAD, RATHGAR.

MONDAY NEXT, 30th APRIL, 1923.

JAMES ADAM and SONS, having Sold the Residence, have been further instructed to SELL BY AUCTION THE ENTIRE MODERN FURNITURE, PIANO, CARPETS, etc., all of fine quality and in new condition, comprising briefly—Grand Piano, by Payne, Mah. Case, Iron Frame; Piano Seat, Master's Voice Gramophone and Records; Chippendale Corner China Cabinet, Slope-front Bureau, Mah. Open and Revolving Bookcases, Louis Mah. Overmantels, 2 Chesterfields, with Divan Easy Chairs; Inlaid Occasional Chairs and Tables, Plant Stands and Plants, Brass Fire Screens, Coal Boxes and Brasses, Water Colours, Engravings, and Needlework Pictures; Axminster Room and Stair Carpets, Linoleums, Brass Stair Rods, Fleece Rugs, Sofa Pillows, Lace and other Curtains, Mah. Pedestal Writing Table, Mahogany Mirror-back Sideboard, Patent Folding-leg Telescope Dinner Tables, 6 Dining Chairs, Pair Divan Easy Chairs to match, Chenille Cover, Antique Nelson Mah. Hall Clock, Oak Table, Hat Racks, Chairs, and Barometer; Chippendale-style Bedroom Suite, with 6ft. Wardrobe and Bedstead to match; 3 other Bedroom and Satin Walnut ditto, Walnut Chests Drawers, Walnut and Oak Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Blankets and Bedding, Toilet Ware, Presses, Kitchen Mangle, Furniture and Utensils, Gas Cooker, Vacuum Cleaner, Dinner and Tea Services, Table Glass and China, Plated Ware, Electric Fittings, Penn.' Lawn Mower, Garden Benches, Chairs, Tent, Iron Roller, Wheelbarrow and Tools, Carpenter's Bench and Tools, Step Ladders, Gent.'s Rudge Cycle, etc. On View Morning of Sale, 10 till 12. Sale Monday Next, 30th, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Auctioneers and Appraisers, 17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

DETACHED HOUSE FOR SALE.

No Basement. Vacant Possession. Excellent Structural and Decorative Condition. Motor House, etc. No outlay required. County Rates.

"ASHDALE," ASHDALE ROAD, TERENURE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on MONDAY, 7th MAY, 1923, at the hour of 3 o'clock, at JAMES ADAM and SONS' ESTATE SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, a modern Two-Storeyed Dwellinghouse, no basement; architecturally pleasing elevation, frontage, gabled front, with bow window on one and straight front, with bow window, two storeys high, on other side; verandah porch, with tiled floor; roofed balcony over same; entrance to drawingroom and diningroom in front, all parquet floors with dwarf walls under wood block; kitchen, single oven economic range; copper boiler and copper cylinder, fixed recess wall dresser, scullery, slop sink and white pottery ware, wash bench of 2 troughs, hot and cold water supplies and wastes to all; indoor coal office. Upstairs: Vestibule on mezzo floor, 5 bedrooms, porcelain enamel metal bath, lavatory basin, separate w.c., linen or box room; very conveniently well-planned, and compact house standing in grounds with motor house and small green house; uninterrupted outlook in front, open lands at back. Held for 99 years from 1st May, 1902, subject to the small ground rent of £5 per annum. For Conditions of Sale apply to C. C. SHAW, 4 Dame street, Solicitor for Vendor; or to

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Auctioneers and House Property Estate Agents, 17 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

"ELSMERE," CARRICKMINES.

DETACHED HOUSE and OUT-OFFICES, Good Garden and Accommodation Lands, Valuable Building Frontage. Vacant Possession to Purchaser.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION IN TWO LOTS, On MONDAY, 21st MAY, 1923, At One o'clock, by JAMES ADAM and SONS, at their PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN,

fuller particulars of which will appear in subsequent advertisements, and meantime can be obtained from the undersigned,

NATHANIEL TAYLOR, 23 Stephen's Green, Solicitor for Vendor, or at the Office of the Auctioneers,

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Appraisers, Auctioneers, and House Property Estate Agents, 17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALES EVERY THURSDAY.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE OF FARM HORSES, MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, CROPS, GREENHOUSE PLANTS, Etc.

WE have received instructions from Mr. North Bomford TO SELL BY AUCTION At FERRANS, KILCOCK, CO. MEATH, On MONDAY, 7th MAY, 1923, 5 valuable Farm Horses, a quantity of Farm Implements and Machinery, Ford Motor Car, Oil Engine, etc., etc.

Terms at Sale, which will commence at o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

NORTH WALES.

TOWN OF RHYL.

MESSRS. WM. DEW and SON and R. JONES have been instructed to SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION (unless sold by private treaty), at the ... HOTEL, on THURSDAY, MAY 17, ... p.m., the Valuable FREEHOLD ... RESIDENCE known as

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